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## POST-SCRIPTS

By GEORGE ROTHWELL BROWN

"The words of wise men are heard in quiet more than the cry of him that ruleth among fools."

Charlie Curtis becomes the inevitable and logical compromise candidate on the farm issue—he is for the McNary-Haugen bill on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and against it on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

President Calles requests Ambassador Morrow to return to Mexico City as quickly as possible—his Kansas City vacation is breaking up a foursome.

The Nats go Democratic again by an overwhelming minority.

Smashing all precedents the House sustains a veto by President Coolidge.

Senator Fess, of Ohio, sounds the Kansas City keynote as he casts his helpful vote to sustain the President's veto of the McNary-Haugen bill, but we suspect that the other four Western Republican Senators, up for reelection this year, who voted to override it, will not choose to run on the Coolidge platform.

It is a striking commentary upon the decline of Congress that such an utterly indefensible measure as the extravagant Boulder Dam bill could be passed by the House of Representatives without a roll call, although there is some consolation in the reflection that the gentlemen perpetrating the outrage are too ashamed of themselves to leave a record vote for the perusal of posterity. Mr. Coolidge is going to need another goose quill.

If it were not for McNary-Haugen and the attempt to put the United States Government into the fertilizer business the Boulder Dam bill would stand out even more vividly. Congress finally puts the seal of its approval on the Muscle Shoals monstrosity. Any stranger picking up a copy of the Congressional Record nowadays might easily fall into the error of imagining that he was reading the minutes of the last convention of the I. W. W. or the proceedings of the Third International.

The grape-juice bill for the relief of underpaid Government clerks is finally on its way to become a law. Let us hope that the next Congress will give these patient victims of pillaging parsimony a real salary boost somewhat more invigorating than one-half of 1 per cent.

Mr. Norris' idea of a general grand all-round sniping feast, with every person smelling in his neighbor's pantry to ascertain how much jam and cheese he has, is finally rejected by the Senate. Sad blow to those who love to spy. "And treat the whole world like a pie made for thy finger, Mr. Pry."

Twenty-five members of the National Press Club protest the admission of a man who, if elected, would add to its roster the most distinguished name on the list. It is fatal for newspaper men and politicians to take themselves too seriously.

But what do the railroads think of Mr. Schwab's plan for increasing steel profits by eliminating unnecessary transportation? When the carriers aren't called upon to haul so much steel they won't need so much.

Miss Megan Lloyd George is in a fair way to sit beside her distinguished father in the House of Commons. If not a chip, at least a splinter, of the old block.

Phillips Lee Goldsborough is the Republican candidate for the Senate from Maryland, and it is understood that he will talk turkey to William Cabell Bruce.

German scientists who had hoped to pay off the war debt with sea water sadly discover that there is more gold in elbow grease than there is in the ocean.

Peppy Joyce denies that she is engaged to be married to a Count. Sometimes the story that sounds true turns out to be the biggest fake.

The Western farm revolt against Hoover is now reaching such appalling proportions that nothing seems calculated to save the Republican party from disaster but the reelection of President Coolidge to insure another McNary-Haugen veto. "How quaint the ways of Paradox. At common sense the gayly mocks."

If Congress treats a President like this toward the close of his second term how many bills would be passed over the veto toward the close of his third?

Congress suddenly learns about Commander Read and the NC-4.

Still, where else but in the Senate would Mr. Norris feel so perfectly at home!

## 2 BANKERS KILLED, PHYSICIAN KIDNAPED AND SLAIN BY BAND

### Third Victim of Holdup, Abducted, Believed to Be Dead.

## POSSES AND PLANES PURSUING IN KANSAS

### Doctor Lured Away to Help Wounded Robber, Then Is Put to Death.

Dighton, Kans., May 25 (A.P.).—Fleeing before heavily armed posses aided by two airplanes, the four desperadoes who Wednesday shot down two officers of the First National Bank of Lamar, Colo., today killed Dr. W. W. Wineinger, of Dighton, whom they abducted last night.

Officers expressed fear that E. A. Kessinger, assistant cashier of the bank who was kidnapped in the holdup, also had been slain. An unverified report reached here during the day that Kessinger's body had been found near Scott City, Kans.

A. N. Parrish and his son, John Parrish, officials of the bank, were shot and killed in the holdup.

The killers were being hotly pursued late today and were reported to be in the vicinity of Modoc, Kans., after a mad flight over the western Kansas prairies.

Body Found Beside Road. The body of Dr. Wineinger, who was lured away from home last night supposedly to dress the wounds sustained by one of the robbers in a gun fight in the bank, was found 25 miles south of Oakley, Kans.

He had been shot in the back of the head with a shotgun and apparently tossed over an embankment, at the bottom of which his motor car was found. The body which was still warm when found by posemen was brought here this afternoon.

Dr. Wineinger was made captive through a ruse, one of the gunmen summoning him away from home with a story that a man had been severely injured in a tractor accident.

Dr. Wineinger, who was about 40 years old, is survived by his widow and two small children.

Spurred on by the cold-blooded killings, more than 400 newly armed men in motor cars continued the hunt for the desperadoes, assisted by the airplanes.

Flier Drops Notes to Posse. Lieut. Reavis, of Lowry Field, Denver, scouted the countryside by air and

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## Tokyo Note Believed To Back Kellogg Pact

Tokyo, May 25 (A.P.).—The Japanese cabinet today approved formally the Japanese note to the United States on the Kellogg pact to outlaw war. It is understood that the reply is a blanket approval of the plan.

The emperor's sanction is necessary before the reply can be handed to Charles MacVeagh, American Ambassador.

## 8 KILLED, 5 INJURED IN MINE GAS BLAST

### Explosion Occurs Under Central Section of the City of Wilkes-Barre.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., May 25 (A.P.).—Eight mine workers were killed and five injured in a gas explosion today in the Conyngham shaft of the Hudson Coal Co. in the northern section of the city.

The dead were identified as Maurice Ryan, Daniel Gallagher, Louis Olson, Vincent Misiewicz, Daniel Norton, and Michael Constance, all of Wilkes-Barre and George Oka and George E. Sapotvich, of Parsons.

The blast occurred under the center of the city to Wilkes-Barre, in a section which had been idle for several years and in which work was resumed last week. Sparks from a motor are believed to have ignited a pocket of gas. Company officials placed a heavy guard to keep back the hundreds who endeavored to get some word of their loved ones.

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## Congress Speeds Action As Session Nears Close

Congress yesterday took legislative action on many important matters as follows.

The Senate sustained President Coolidge's veto of the McNary farm relief bill. This killed the measure.

The House sustained the President's veto of the bill providing for post roads through Indian lands in eleven States.

The Senate and House passed the Muscle Shoals bill after eliminating a provision to have the Government plant there manufacture fertilizer to be sold to farmers. This was objectionable to the President.

The House passed the Boulder Dam bill. The Senate was debating this measure when it recessed early last evening.

The compromise revenue measure, framed by a conference committee, was adopted by the Senate after elimination of the provision for publicity of income tax returns, which the President opposed. The bill will cut taxes \$222,000,000.

Senate and House adopted the conference report harmonizing difference over the efficiency appropriation bill.

New and reduced postal rates were agreed upon by Senate and House conferees.

Senate and House adopted the conference report on the Welch bill increasing the salaries of Government employees, which was sent to the President for approval.

Senate adopted the Capper resolution authorizing an inquiry into the merger plan for District traction companies.

The House adopted the Crampton resolution to prevent private exploitation of Great Falls, which now goes to the Senate.

ENTIRE MARYLAND VOTE INSTRUCTED FOR HOOVER

### State G. O. P. Convention Ratifies Preference Expressed at Primary.

### JACKSON FACTION WINS

Special to The Washington Post.

Baltimore, Md., May 25.—The group led by Roland R. Marchant, Republican boss of Baltimore, and closely affiliated with the Jackson State faction, had undisputed control of the Maryland State convention at the Maryland Theater today and dominated every action taken, party leaders declared.

O. E. Waller, former United States senator and leader of the wing which opposed the Marchant forces, did not attend the meeting of any of the previous conferences. His name was not mentioned by any of the speakers today.

The nineteen delegates who will represent Maryland at the Republican national convention in Kansas City on June 12 were "instructed to nominate" William P. Jackson, of Salisbury, for reelection as national committeeman in a resolution adopted at the convention.

By the same resolution the delegates also were "instructed to nominate" Mrs. CONTINUED ON PAGE 8, COLUMN 4

## Peasants of 3 Lands To Unite Politically

Prague, Czechoslovakia, May 25 (A.P.).—Plans to form a united front against fascism and bolshevism and to gain political cooperation among millions of peasants in Czechoslovakia, Roumania and Yugoslavia, were perfected here today. Peasant party leaders of those countries decided to invite the peasants in the former enemy countries of Bulgaria, Austria and Hungary to join them.

Dr. Milan Hodza, minister of education in the Czechoslovakian cabinet, will be head of the united organization which will seek greater economic and social advantages for the peasants. A great international mass meeting of peasants also is planned.

## Inquiry on Traction Merger In Summer Voted by Senate

### Capper Will Name Committee in Accordance With His Resolution as Adopted; Valuation Expected to Be Crux of Investigation.

A thorough investigation of the traction merger plan was voted by the Senate yesterday. The investigation will be made by a subcommittee of the Senate District committee, assisted by utilities experts.

The Capper resolution calling for the traction study was adopted by the Senate without debate, after it had been favorably reported by Senator Deneen (Republican), of Illinois, chairman of the audit and control committee.

The resolution not only authorizes the investigation, but provides \$10,000 for expenses. Most of this will go for salaries for the experts to be hired.

The investigation will be conducted this summer while Congress is away. Thus far Senator Capper (Republican), of Kansas, chairman of the Senate District committee, has not made known whom he will assign to the subcommittee.

Sensor Capper drew up the resolution after the District committee had

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## CLERKS' PAY RAISE SENT TO PRESIDENT BY ACTION IN HOUSE

### Coolidge Now Expected to Sign Promptly, Possibly Today.

## 135,000 ARE TO GET ADVANCE ON JULY 1

### Woodrum Only Member Who Voted Adversely; Unfair to Low-Paid, Claim.

Congressional action on the Welch pay-raise bill was completed late yesterday, and today the measure goes to the White House for the President's signature. The House approved the conference report on the bill at 5:40 o'clock, just as dusk was enveloping the Capitol. The Senate had approved it three hours earlier.

The bill now needs only the signature of President Coolidge to attain the status of a law. It is expected that the President will affix his signature either today or Monday.

Of the 435 members of the House and the 96 members of the Senate, only one voted against approval of the report on the bill—Representative Woodrum (Democrat), of Virginia, who contended that the bill was unfair to the lower-paid employees.

Raises Granted 135,000. The bill provides raises for 135,000 Government employees 45,000 in the District and 90,000 in the States. These raises take effect July 1.

Bitterness marked the end of the bill's journey through Congress. In both houses, the charge was made that the bill was unfair to the low-paid workers. Woodrum made it in the House, and Senator Bill (Democrat) of Washington, in the Senate.

Representative Celler (Democrat) New York, one of the House conferees on the bill, apologized for having signed the conference report. He declared that the bill did not go far enough in relieving distress among the employees, but explained that he had signed it on the theory that half a loaf was better than none.

Speaks for Charwomen. "Woodrum the next speaker, told Celler that he did not blame him for having signed the conference report. Like Celler he decried the action of the conferees in reducing the raise for charwomen from 10 cents an hour to 8 cents an hour.

The bill as passed by the Senate, Woodrum said, was much better than the House bill, in that it added additional salary rates at the top of the grades and provided increases for all.

"But there was a difference of \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000 in the Senate bill," Woodrum shouted, "and because they were told that the President threatened to veto the bill the conferees sacrificed these rates and made a compromise."

He recalled that the House had not hesitated to defy the President and pass

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## Pay Roll Thieves Run Chief of Police Down

Calhoun, Ga., May 25 (A.P.).—Four robbers who seized a \$2,000 payroll at Rome this afternoon were surrounded in a swamp about 6 miles from here late today after running over Chief of Police John Crow when he attempted to halt them here.

The robbers fled into a swamp, after abandoning their automobile at the Coosawatee River and taking a boat to cross the stream. More than 500 men are in the posess which have surrounded the swamp.

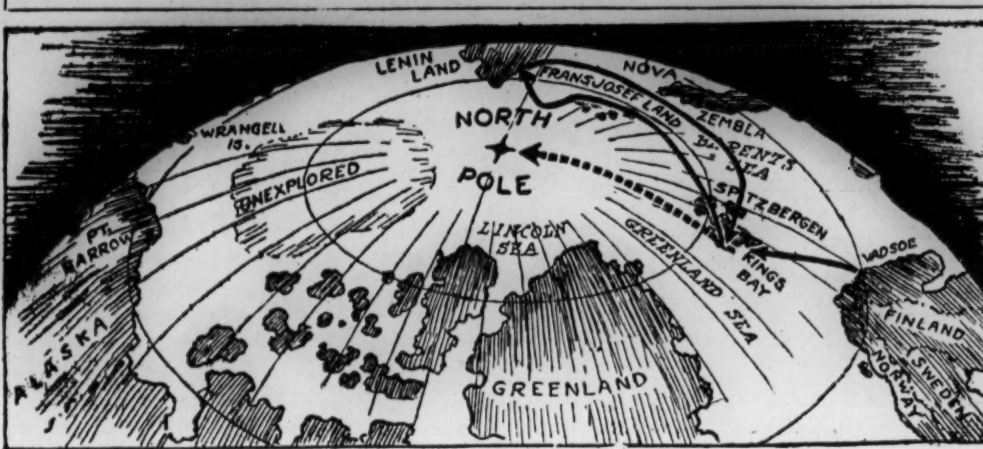
Chief Crow was badly injured when struck by a fender of the automobile as the robbers raced through here, firing many shots.

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## NEWS OF NOBILE'S FLIGHT LACKING



Nothing definite has been heard in recent hours from Gen. Umberto Nobile, now on his way back from the North Pole in the Italian dirigible Italia. The latest reports indicate that in view of the storms he has encountered, he may have headed for Nova Zembla. Dotted line shows his flight to the pole. Solid line shows previous flight of the Italia.

## INCOME TAX PUBLICITY ELIMINATED BY SENATE

### Approves Compromise Bill Providing Reduction of \$222,495,000.

## HOUSE HAS STILL TO ACT

(Associated Press.)

Overwhelmingly voting to eliminate the publicity provision of its revenue bill, the Senate yesterday approved without a record vote the compromise \$222,495,000 tax cut and put it in the hands of the House.

Early approval of the compromise reached Thursday by conferees of the Senate and House is expected in the House. With this step the tax reduction legislation will go to the White House. The \$222,495,000 slash is well above the \$200,000,000 limit set by the President, but is believed to be within range of executive approval.

The vote for elimination of the amendment opening income tax returns to public inspection was 57 to 23. This proposal of Senator Norris (Republican), Nebraska, was put in the bill by the Senate, 27 to 19. Although Senator Couzens (Republican), Michigan, urged another vote yesterday strictly on the merits of the publicity question advocating retention of the amendment, Senator Reed (Democrat), Missouri, said he would vote against it now rather than jeopardize all tax reduction legislation. For that reason it was not considered that the vote was a real test on the strength of the publicity provision.

There was virtually no discussion of the compromise tax reduction measure aside from the wrangle over publicity. Senators Couzens and La Follette (Republican), Wisconsin, fought hard for retention of the Norris amendment. Couzens insisted that the public had been misinformed about it. He said it did not compare with the "objectionable" law in effect in 1924 and repealed in 1925.

## NAVY SEAPLANE SETS TWO WORLD RECORDS

### Marks for Time and Range With Useful Load Fall; XPN-12 Still Up.

Philadelphia, May 25 (A.P.).—Two new world records were established tonight by the XPN-12, a new type naval seaplane.

Flying over a 50-kilometer course over the Delaware River, the seaplane, at 10:16 p. m. hung up a new endurance record for carrying a "useful load" of 1,000 kilograms after having been in the air 11 hours, 23 minutes.

Two hours later the XPN-12 shattered the endurance record for range, having covered approximately 1,025 miles, 31 miles farther than the old mark made by a Swiss Dornier seaplane piloted by Richard Wagner and George Vismesser, August 8, 1927.

Philadelphia Navy Yard officials said messages dropped by the fliers, Lieut. Zues Soucek, pilot; Lisle J. Maxson, assistant pilot, and G. C. Foley, machinist, indicated that the plane would remain aloft until after daybreak.

## Senate Passes Shoals Bill, Ending 24-Hour Filibuster

(Associated Press.)

Hedged about with expressed hopes of its Tennessee opponents for a veto, the bill creating a Government corporation to operate the Muscle Shoals nitrogen plant fought its way yesterday through Senate and House. It now goes to the President.

The votes adopting the revised conference report, which eliminated authority for commercial manufacture and sale of fertilizers but retained provision for construction of the supplementary Cove Creek Dam, in Tennessee, were decisive but not overwhelming, or sufficient to repass the measure over a veto.

The Senate record was 43 to 34, taken after a 24-hour filibuster, led by McKellar, of Tennessee, had broken down. The House vote was 211 to 144, taken amid reiterated shouts of "Vote, vote, vote," which rendered almost inaudible and at times choked off entirely attempted speeches against the bill.

The two votes ended for the moment at least a battle that began in Congress almost immediately on the signing of the armistice that ended the World War. Since that time controversy has raged in season and out around the disposal

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## Nobile's Dirigible Overdue; Radio Silent; Winds Rage; Ship May Take Up Search

### Last Word From the Italia Tells of Battle Against Gale, With Motors at Full Speed—London Not Alarmed, Although Return From Pole Has Now Taken Nearly 50 Hours.

London (Saturday), May 26 (A.P.).—Up to 4 a. m. today nothing has reached London from any source revealing the whereabouts of the polar dirigible Italia. While there is a possibility that she has encountered serious trouble from the strong northwest winds around Spitzbergen, there are no reports here which would even suggest that the ship is in danger.

A late Reuter dispatch from Kings Bay confirms earlier Associated Press advice that the Nobile base ship Clitta di Milano will wait until noon before attempting to go in search of the aircraft. But experts believe that the steamer will not be able to get through the ice barrier extending from Spitzbergen to Northeast Island.

Kings Bay, Spitzbergen (Saturday, 12:30 a. m.), May 26 (A.P.).—At midnight, 47 hours after the dirigible Italia had left the North Pole, she still was missing from her base here.

Watchers on the steamer Clitta di Milano thought that she had possibly headed toward Nova Zembla, on the Siberian coast, where there is a radio station. If no further word comes by noon today the base ship will start north on a search if ice conditions permit.

(Copyright, 1928, by the Associated Press.) Kings Bay, Spitzbergen, May 25 (A.P.) (9:30 p. m.).—No sign of the dirigible Italia, in which Gen. Umberto Nobile and a crew of 15 others, is voyaging back from the North Pole, had come to the watchers here early this evening. The ship was then 85 hours out from her start to the pole and had been en route from the top of the world for nearly 43 hours. Ice forming from a fog through which the ship was battling her way against a quartering gale probably has broken her wireless antennae and prevented communication with the base ship here the Clitta di Milano. But the operators on the base ship are constantly listening for possible signals.

At 9:30 p. m. news of the Italia was still lacking. The wind continued strong. The commander of the Clitta di Milano had asked the coal company CONTINUED ON PAGE 8, COLUMN 6

## House Adopts Boulder Dam Bill; Senate Fight Resumed

(Associated Press.)

Without a roll call vote the House late yesterday passed the Swing-Johnson Dam bill and sent it speeding to the Senate, where for weeks a companion measure has been held motionless in the grip of a determined filibuster.

Even while the House was defeating a last-minute attempt to keep the bill from reaching a final vote, opposing forces in the Senate renewed hostilities. The warfare, however, continued only for a brief space, as senators, fatigued from an all-night row on the Muscle Shoals conference report, agreed to recess until 11 a. m. today.

The House's final action on the measure was preceded by an unsuccessful move to send the bill back to the irrigation committee, which virtually would have shut the doors against any action at this session, but the motion, which was offered by Representative Douglas (Democrat), Arizona, a leader of the opposition, was defeated, 219 to 137.

This clearly showed that supporters of the bill held the whiphand. A minute later the House refused to order a roll call vote on final passage, which Representative Leatherwood (Republican), Utah, requested. The consent of one-fifth of the members present was necessary to obtain a record ballot, but only three members supported the Leatherwood request.

Speaker Longworth then put the question, and, after a chorus of "ayes," announced that the bill was passed.

The measure proposes the construction of a huge dam, 500 feet high, between the rugged banks of the Colorado River at Boulder Canyon, Ariz. The structure would serve the three-fold purpose of providing flood protection for Imperial Valley in California, of furnishing electric power for the Southwest and of supplying water for irrigation of thousands of acres of arid lands in several Western States.

The bill further would authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to advance \$125,000,000 to finance the project, the money later to be returned to the Treasury from proceeds derived from selling power generated at the dam. This money would bear interest at 4 per cent.

Throughout its long fight in Congress the bill has met unalterable opposition from Arizona men in both the Senate and House.

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## SENATE VOTE FAILS TO PASS FARM BILL OVER VETO, 50-31

### Four Who Helped to Pass Measure Shift Stand, Led by Curtis.

## REPUBLICANS SPLIT WIDELY ON ISSUE

### Nineteen Sustain Coolidge and 20 Favor Overriding His Formal Rejection.

By CARLISLE BARGERON. For better or worse the Senate yesterday pitched the McNary-Haugen bill out into the presidential campaign, when, because of a shift of four votes, it failed to override the President's veto. The vote was 50 to 31 for the bill. Senators Curtis, of Kansas; Waterman, of Colorado; Sackett, of Kentucky; Republicans, and Fletcher, of Florida, "Democrat," who supported the bill when it was originally passed, voted to uphold the President's veto, thus preventing the necessary two-thirds majority.

In a statement the Kansas presidential candidate said he had proved that he was a friend of the farmer and a friend of the President. In fact, a friend of everybody. His friends insisted that with the Republican presidential nomination turning on the farm relief issue the senator's two votes have made him the inevitable compromise, but for the present, at least, it can not be said that any particular warmth is felt for him in the McNary-Haugen camp.

Curtis States His Stand.

"I have always voted for and favored farm relief legislation, as shown by my vote for every relief measure voted on in the Congress since the war and by my action in offering two carefully prepared measures which would have given relief had they been adopted," the senator said. "Much as I sympathize with the farmer and much as I favor legislative relief for him, as Republican leader of the Senate, on this vote I felt it my duty to stand by the President."

Does work out some scheme whereby it can stand both by the administration and the farmer. The Kansas senator would seem to fit most perfectly into it, overlooking the fact for the minute that Vice President Dawes has never voted at all, one way or the other.

Result of the Roll Call.

On the vote yesterday, too, it would seem that the Republicans are fairly evenly split as between the President and the farmer. Twenty voted to override him and they were cheerfully aided by 29 Democrats and one Farmer-Laborite, and nineteen voted to sustain the President and they were aided by eleven Democrats.

The vote follows: To override the President: Republicans—Blaine, Brookhart, Capper, Couzens, Cutting, Deneen, Howell, Johnson, La Follette, McMaster, McNary, Norris, Nye, Oddie, Pine Robinson, of Indiana; Scholl, Steiwer, Vandenberg and Watson—20.

Democrats—Ashurst, Barkley, Black, Bratton, Broussard, Caraway, Copeland, Dill, George, Harris, Harrison, Hawes, Hayden, Hefflin, Kendrick, Locher, McKellar, Neely, Overman, Pittman, Robinson, Arkansas; Sheppard, Simmons, Smith, Steck, Stephens, Thomas, Wagner and Wheeler—29.

Farmer-Laborite—Shipstead—1.

Total—50.

To sustain the President: Republicans—Bingham, Borah, Curtis, Dale, Egan, Fess, Gillette, Greengard, Hale, Hayes, McLean, Metcalf, Phipps, Reed, of Pennsylvania; Sackett, Shortridge, Smoot and Waterman—19.

Democrats—Bayard, Blaine, Bruce, Edwards, Fletcher, Gurnea, Glass, King, Swanson, Tydings, Walsh, of Montana; and Walsh, of Massachusetts—11.

Total—31.

Republicans Divide in Pairings. The Republicans were split evenly also in the pairings. Jones, of Washington; Gooding, of Idaho; Norbeck, of South Dakota, and Frazier, of North Dakota, all being paired against the President, as were four Democrats, Mayfield, of Texas; Tyson, of Tennessee; Ransdell, of Louisiana, and Trammell, of Florida. They offset four Republicans in favor of sustaining the President, Coff, of West Virginia; Gould, of Maine; Du Pont, of Delaware, and Moses, of New Hampshire.

Senator Reed, of Missouri, although in the chamber before the voting was concluded, abstained from voting. He is opposed to the bill, but inasmuch as he was absent



## GIRL SPELLS DOWN FIELD IN PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS' CONTEST

Evelyn McGivern Wins \$10  
by Putting Two Ys  
in Synonymous.

ROBERT SCHOMBERT, 14,  
SCORES SECOND PLACE

William Shaughnessy and  
Mary Hart Awarded \$3  
Prizes Each.

Thirteen-year-old Evelyn McGivern, 8515 Rittenhouse street northwest, knew that synonymous has two ya, and that is why she was awarded first place in the annual spelling bee for parochial schools held last night in Gonzaga Hall. She is a blonde and attends St. Martin's School. The prize was \$10 in gold.

Boy Scores Second.  
Robert Schombert, 14 years old, 1314 Thirty-fourth street northwest, a student at Holy Trinity School, won second place. He spelled the word "synonymous." Second prize was \$5 in gold. Third prize of \$3 was won by William Shaughnessy, 14, 40 M street northwest, of St. Aloysius School, and fourth prize of \$2 was won by Mary Hart, 13, 184 Sixth street southwest, of St. Dominic's School. Ten other runners-up were presented with boxes of candy.

The annual spelling bee was heard by a packed house. Each school appeared represented by a cheering squad. As the boys and girls resumed their seats after misspelling a word their schoolmates cheered them in their defeat with good sportsmanship.

Words Written on Board.

By the time the printed list of words which had been studied by the children was exhausted all but 19 of the 40 entrants had been seated, many through sheer fright. These children spelled until Shaughnessy, Evelyn and Schombert were the last remaining. The twenty-ninth round found Shaughnessy unable to spell "synonymous" and the two left were allowed a few moments of rest while blackboards were brought forth. The first word given to be written on the blackboard conquered Schombert and a deafening round of cheers was sent forth by the children of St. Martin's School, who were present in great number. The presentation of awards followed.

The Rev. J. C. Lavery, S. J., vice president of Gonzaga, was referee. The Rev. Joseph A. Maloney, S. J., of Georgetown University pronounced the words. The judges were the Rev. Raymond R. Coggins, S. J.; the Rev. Lawrence C. Gorman, S. J.; and the Rev. Edmund J. Nuttall, S. J., all of Georgetown University. Thomas M. Brew was chief usher.

Historic Spanish Flag  
Given to Miles Camp

What is believed to be the last flag to fly over Spanish territory in the Western Hemisphere was presented to Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp of Spanish War Veterans at a meeting last night in the Pythian Temple by Col. E. P. Andrus, U. S. A., retired.

The flag was over the market place in Ponce, Porto Rico, when Gen. Miles captured the city. It was presented to Col. Andrus, then a captain in the Fifth Cavalry, by a merchant in a nearby town, who vouched for the authenticity of its history. The flag was accepted by George McAlear, camp commander.

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## CRITICALLY ILL

REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS A.  
BUTLER.

T. S. BUTLER SINKING  
IN CRITICAL ILLNESS

Family at Bedside of Elderly  
Representative From  
Pennsylvania.

Representative Thomas A. Butler, of Pennsylvania, chairman of the House naval committee, last night was critically ill in his apartment in the Burlington Hotel. His physician, Dr. George W. Calver, and members of the family were in constant attendance. He is 72 years old.

Taking a sudden turn for the worse after suffering a heart attack at the Capitol more than a month ago, members of the representative's family said last night that they regard his condition as extremely serious. At the time of his first attack it was the belief of Representative Butler's friends that his condition had been provoked by the long hours of work which he put in at the extended hearings held on the new warship construction program and his condition was then considered serious.

However, he gradually regained strength while resting at his apartment, and until his recent setback he was entertained for his full recovery. During the last few days, however, he has grown steadily weaker.

Hundreds Destitute  
Following Hailstorms

Birmingham, Ala., May 25 (A.P.)—Approximately 200 families have been left destitute as a result of a terrific hailstorm which swept parts of Western Central Alabama.

Loss to crops and property was estimated today at more than \$500,000. Approximately 600 square miles of farm land was practically laid waste by the storm of Tuesday, the extent of which was revealed only today. It was estimated that 16,000 acres of cotton and 6,000 acres of corn were destroyed.

Appeals have been made to the National Red Cross for aid.

MAN DIES FROM GAS,  
FOUR JETS FLOWING

Coroner to Conduct Inquiry  
Before Deciding on  
Death of Fickling.

With gas flowing from four open burners on a kitchen stove, Thomas W. Fickling, 47 years old, 405 Tenth street northeast was found unconscious on the floor of his apartment last night. The Fire Department Rescue Squad worked for almost an hour to revive him. He was pronounced dead by Dr. J. L. Murphy, of Casualty Hospital.

Fickling had apparently been sitting in a chair near the stove when he was overcome by the fumes. His body had fallen to the floor and blocked the door to the kitchen. Mrs. Fickling detected the odor of gas when she entered the apartment last night but was unable to open the kitchen door. She summoned police.

Policemen J. R. Hickey and J. H. Horton, of the Ninth Precinct, were almost overcome by the gas fumes before they succeeded in forcing Fickling's body away from the kitchen door so they could open it. The policemen said they were unable to find any motive for Fickling's act. Coroner J. Ramsey Norton was notified of Fickling's death and will conduct an investigation before issuing a certificate in the case.

LAWRENCE, IN COMA,  
DENIES HE KILLED

Did Not Slay Woman, Doctor  
Testifies He Said Under  
Anesthetic.

Pittsboro, N. C., May 25 (A.P.)—The defense had another inning in court today as it paraded 33 witnesses across the stand to testify in behalf of W. Herbert Lawrence, Durham contractor charged with slaying Mrs. Annie Terry, a dressmaker, and throwing her body into the Cape Fear River.

The jury heard the defense's side of Lawrence's suicide attempt last Saturday, brought into the case first as evidence for the State, when Dr. L. S. Booker, of Durham, who attended Lawrence, took the stand. Dr. Booker testified that Lawrence was suffering from deep mental depression and was physically and mentally exhausted when he made the attempt on his life.

Although fought by the State, the defense succeeded in getting into the evidence Lawrence's claim that he was innocent, made to Dr. Booker while under an anesthetic.

The disputed blood spots in Lawrence's car took the major portion of the court's time today. B. B. Sapp, Raleigh contractor, told the jury that he rode in Lawrence's car the Sunday after the Saturday that Mrs. Terry was killed and saw no blood spots.

## HEIRS OF EMERICK, ASTOR'S PARTNER, ASK VAST ESTATE

Founder of Great Fortune  
Was to Have Divided  
Riches, It Is Held.

SUIT IN FEDERAL COURT  
HARKS BACK 150 YEARS

Accounting of Two-Thirds of  
\$500,000,000 Is Demanded  
by Descendants.

New York, May 25 (A.P.)—A law suit that harks back 150 years to the days when John Jacob Astor was a poor boy in a new country was begun today in the Federal District Court, where descendants of John Nicholas Emerick, Astor's partner, seek two-thirds of the \$500,000,000 estate the original Emerick is reputed to have left.

The action is based in an aura of romance and hinges upon an arrangement by which Emerick is alleged to have established Astor as the trustee of a 90-year trust of his interest in their partnership. At the expiration of that period Astor's heirs, was to have divided the estate between descendants of Emerick's two brothers, John and Valentine.

In the complaint filed today it is alleged that in 1802, when the trust had only three years more to run, a legal representative of the elder Astor's estate told a descendant of John Emerick of the trust agreement. The Emerick estate, this lawyer then said, was worth \$39,000,000 at that time.

Trinity Site Is Included.  
The fortune included the worth of some of the most valuable plots of land in New York City, among them the site of Trinity Church at the head of Wall street, that of the Hotel Astor in Times Square, and other parcels, the value of which now is tremendous.

Tradition tells that Emerick died on a fur-laden vessel in 1817 and was buried at sea off the Labrador coast. He left no will, it was believed, but in recent years heirs in many sections of the country have pushed a vigorous search for the document which they believed would bring them a fortune.

More than 300 such heirs have appeared to file their claims to the Emerick estate, and last December a paper, the "Trinity Site," was found in the lining of an old trunk. What purports to be a copy of the alleged trust agreement between Astor and Emerick also is offered in the present suit.

Accounting Is Demanded.  
The plaintiffs in this suit are Edna Canham, of Eau Claire, Wis.; Christina Campbell, of Appleton, Wis.; and John Thomas Emerick, of Waunakee, Wis. They are descendants of the two brothers of John Nicholas Emerick. They are represented by Fred H. Rees, of New York, Calvin J. Rees, of St. Louis, Evan B. Lewis, of Philadelphia, and Charles W. Letzuga, of Camden, N. J.

They demand an accounting of two-thirds of the properties owned by the Astor-Emerick partnership and ask that the defendants, trustees and heirs of the Astor estate be enjoined from transferring properties derived from the partnership pending determination of the suit. They also demand a complete accounting of all property transferred between the date of the 90-year trust agreement and March, 1848, the date of the first Astor's death.

Besides the banks acting as trustees for the Astor estate, the defendants named include William Vincent Astor, a great-great-grandson of the original Astor.

Lita Chaplin Called  
In Slaying of Solovitch

Manti, Utah, May 25 (A.P.)—Lita Grey Chaplin, former wife of Charles Chaplin, the comedy king, today was subpoenaed as a witness for Shimon Clark, confessed slayer of Don Solovitch, her former brother.

Clark's defense counsel, refused to discuss the nature of the testimony he will seek from the film star, but said he expected her to throw some light upon the strange series of events leading up to the killing of Solovitch on the highway near Gunnison last January.

Solovitch was beaten to death by Clark on a motor trip from Los Angeles to Salt Lake City. Clark told authorities that the victim had made offensive remarks to him.

Three Nominations Confirmed.  
The Senate yesterday confirmed the nominations of Genevieve R. Cline, of Ohio, to be a judge of the United States Customs Court; Carleton Sturtevant, of New York, to be chief engineer of the Mississippi River flood control board; and Samuel Sandberg, of California, to be a member of the shipping board.

FIRE RECORD.  
12:35 a. m.—3028 M street northwest: fire. 10:36 p. m.—Ninth and B streets northwest: auto.

Audit Office Disallows  
\$1 Extra Fare of Chemist

A. G. Murray and Government Wage Meticulous Battle  
Over Payment of Refund With the Result That  
U. S. Treasury Gets Check From Employee.

When A. G. Murray, chemist of the Bureau of Chemistry, travels at Government expense he is meticulous in his accounting. When the General Accounting Office receives expense accounts it is even more meticulous in surveying the reasons why the expenses were incurred. For these reasons Murray has forwarded his check for \$1—the difference between his actual expenses and that of the accounting office—to the disbursing clerk of his department.

The story of the dollar goes back to the early morning hours of October 6, 1925, when Murray and another employee of the bureau were preparing to leave Washington for Trenton, N. J., to testify in a pure-food case in the Federal court there.

Murray took the earliest train, leaving here at 6:40 a. m. It was an extra fare train, the extra fare being \$1. Murray in his expense account pointed out that he thought the emergency—the need of his early arrival in Trenton—warranted the extra fare. His companion left here 45 minutes later on a non-extra fare train.

The accounting office did not think the expenditure was warranted, and said so in December, 1926, when it disallowed the \$1 item. It said that Murray could have left on the later train.

So Murray, after haggling through a year, on January 21, 1927, wrote a detailed explanation of why he spent the dollar and why he wanted it back. In his explanation he says that while his companion was waiting for the later train, "I expressed the opinion that the emergency warranted the expenditure of this sum (the dollar) and that the Government's fiscal agents are sufficient."

Apparently the general accounting office still thought so, for it wrote "the explanation given does not appear to justify this expense. Amount should be refunded."

So the meticulousness of Mr. Murray, who lives in Clarendon, Va., was not enough, and he sent in his check for the dollar.

## MISSISSIPPI'S DEBTS TO BE REPUDIATED, SAYS IN PARIS

Italy a Vast Prison, Former  
Premier Holds; Fascist's  
Acts Called Illegal.

FINANCIALLY STRONGER  
THAN EVER, SAYS VOLPI

Nationals Abroad Are Sending  
Back Large Sum, Finance  
Minister Asserts.

Paris, May 25 (A.P.)—A dark picture of Italy's financial condition is painted by former Premier Francesco Nitti in a statement made public in Paris today. Signor Nitti, who held the premiership in Italy in 1920 and left his own country in 1924, deprecates "final abolition of the Italian constitution."

"In the presence of this fact," continues the statement, "it shall be declared from the present moment onward that no government which succeeds the present regime will recognize any international engagement, debt or concession emanating from the Fascist government. All that has been done by the government that belittled the constitution shall be considered as arising from acts of illegal party. No party succeeding it in power, even the most conservative, will recognize the validity of these illegal acts."

"Deprived of Rights."  
"The Italian people have been deprived of all their rights and constitutional guarantees by an armed majority. Suppressed are the liberties of association, freedom of the press, suppressed are the individual newspapers."

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Stronger Financially.  
Rome, May 25 (A.P.)—Fascist Italy today is financially stronger than ever before, Count Volpi, minister of finance, informed a group of experts today in the debate on the budget.

"The process of adaptation of costs of production and of prices to the new value of the lira is nearing realization," he said. "The most pronounced improvement has been evident in the decrease of imports over exports during the first ten months of the present budget year amounted to 797,989,863 lire, compared with a similar period in the previous fiscal year."

"Italian residents abroad sent 1,667,000,000 lire back to their home country last year. (At present exchange rates this amounts to about \$83,000,000.)"

Foreign loans, 1927, no important foreign loans were contracted for and foreign loans contribute anything toward balancing the budget. The balance was effected solely by economy and money brought into Italy by tourists.

Count Volpi said the present budget showed a surplus of 100,000,000 lire while the 1926-27 budget would show a surplus of 271,000,000 lire which would be partially used for treasury expenditures.

Carranza Completes  
Hop to Mexico City

Mexico City, May 25 (A.P.)—Capt. Emilio Carranza, Mexican army aviator, arrived in his monoplane the "Mexico" from San Diego, Calif., at 12:06 this afternoon, landing at La Buena Vista Airfield.

Capt. Carranza was met at the field by the chief of the presidential staff, and Minister of War Amaro. Dwight W. Morrison, chief of the American Embassy staff, also were on hand.

It was the longest nonstop hop ever made by a Mexican pilot. He covered 1,575 miles in a little less than 19 hours.

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AN OLD TIMER

JENNY JOHN.

104 years old, is the oldest Indian in California. She is a member of the Klamath River Tribe and lives near Crescent, Calif.

## WOMAN ENVOY

SOME TSCHENG,  
who has been sent to France as a  
representative of the Nanking govern-  
ment.

CAMERA MAN WINS RACE  
5 DAYS AHEAD OF RIVALS

Wilkins' Landing Pictures Get  
to New York by Dog Sled,  
Plane, Auto and Liner.

FISH BOAT PLAYS PART

New York, May 25 (A.P.)—A 6,000-mile race from the Arctic Circle was won today by John Dored, staff cameraman of the Paramount News and Associated Press, with the first pictures of the landing in Spitzbergen of Capt. George Wilkins and Lieut. Carl Eklund after their flight from Alaska over polar regions.

By steamer, launch, dog sled, automobile, train and airplane, Dored raced to win a clean beat of five days on one of the outstanding news stories of the year. An hour after the films were landed here today they were developed and on their way to newspapers and theaters throughout the country.

Many news photographers had caught pictures of the polar aviators when they landed in Spitzbergen and all eyes were barked on the icebreaker Hobbs, which brought them into contact with civilization at Thomsen, a little seaport in northern Norway.

From that point Dored ran his own race, with his competitors following the safe and established routes. Dored went over the side of the Hobbs into a fishing launch and set off on an eight-hour cruise through storm and drift ice. Half-frozen and hungry he scrambled over mush ice to the mainland again, where he found a dog sled and driver, chartered by radio and courier.

An eight-hour cross-country ride brought him to a point where a dog sled and driver were waiting for him. In two hours a careening ride over rutted roads brought him over the 30 miles to Narvik, the railroad of the Swedish railway, and Dored was twenty hours ahead of competition. The night before he had been in the Arctic Circle, and he had been in the Arctic Circle for 24 hours.

A seaplane met the Aquitania in the lower harbor today and the precious film was transferred to it. The plane alighted in the Hudson River and a speed boat shot the package ashore.

Woman's Fifth Try  
At Suicide Fails

For the fifth time in three years, Mrs. Ethel Hunter, 23 years old, 754 Park road northwest, attempted suicide early yesterday morning by taking poison, police say. She was found at Eleven and Columbia road northwest and taken to Garfield Hospital by police of the Tenth Precinct.

Police charged her with intoxication and held her for "mental observation," after which she was transferred to Gallinger Municipal Hospital.

Ohio Representative  
Suffers Cut in Fall

(Associated Press.)  
Representative Charles A. Mooney, of Cleveland, Ohio, was injured at his office at the Capitol last night and sustained a severe cut in his leg.

Upon inquiries at his apartment it was said he had sustained a severe cut in a fall put in his office and that a physician had been called in to treat the wound. It was added that his condition was not regarded as serious and that he was resting comfortably.

PEGGY JOYCE DENIES  
BETROTHAL TO COUNT

De Janze Just a Darling Boy,  
She Says; His Wife Shot  
Man in Paris Train.

Special to The Washington Post.  
New York, May 25—Peggy Hopkins Joyce, one of America's most preferred blondes, will not wed for the fifth time, despite London reports of an early summer flowering of a romance between her and Count Frederic de Janze, of Paris, who formed she was to become a countess for the second time and a wife for the fifth. Peggy laughed "Is that so?" she queried. "Aren't they silly?"

"Count de Janze is a sweet, darling boy, and I like him very much, but I am not going to marry him. I'm not going to marry anybody! I saw a lot of him in Paris. We went around a good bit—to Deauville and places—but we are just not engaged."

"Dear me, it's got to be seen with a man more than twice before his goings begin saving up old shoes and ties. I wish they'd stop marrying me off. If the count were an old man with a long beard, nobody would pay any attention to us, but because he's young and good looking—he is terribly good looking—they get us all engaged and everything. It's terrible! We're not!"

Count de Janze was formerly the husband of Miss Alice Silverthorne, of Chicago. He was granted a divorce from his countess in Paris last year after she had shot Raymond Vincent de Stafford, a young Englishman, in a compartment of the Calais boat express at the Gare du Nord, Paris, and then attempted suicide.

Wife Sues for Divorce.  
Mrs. Charline S. B. Ellington, 1207 Rhode Island avenue northwest, filed suit yesterday in Equity Court against William E. Ellington for an absolute divorce. They were married February 22, 1922. Attorney Lucius H. Meador appeared for the plaintiff.

## RARE SLEEPING SICKNESS PARALYZES GIRL'S SIDE

Doctors Undecided as to the  
Advisability of Another  
Blood Transfusion.

RECOVERY IS DOUBTFUL

Reluctant to discuss the case of Miss Dorothea Creager, 20-year-old school teacher who is in a comatose condition at Emergency Hospital, suffering from a malady believed to be an unusual form of sleeping sickness, physicians last night were pursuing a course of watchful waiting, during which Dr. Charles L. Bliss reported that Miss Creager "is holding her own."

With her left side paralyzed as a result of a hemorrhage of the brain, Dr. Bliss, hospital physicians and Dr. Walter Freeman and J. P. Shearer, with whom Dr. Bliss has been in frequent consultation, were undecided as to the advisability of another blood transfusion such as was undertaken Wednesday. Numerous friends of the girl have offered their blood in hopes of saving her life, but the doctors are not convinced of the efficacy of further treatment along that line.

Because of the lack of a specific method of treating the disease and the necessarily experimental course followed by physicians in these cases, Miss Creager's recovery is problematical, and it is pointed out that even should she recover, she may be paralyzed for life. Complete recovery usually takes months, and sometimes years. It was said.

Miss Creager is the daughter of Mrs. H. H. Creager, of 1851 M street northwest, and the late Charles F. Creager, who until his death a few months ago was the chief of a section in the railway mail division of the Postoffice Department.

Fechet in Capital  
From Greenly Island

Maj. Gen. James E. Fechet, chief of the Army Air Corps and head of the Army relief expedition to Greenly Island which failed in its efforts to rescue the transatlantic Junkers plane Bremen, arrived at Bolling Field at 7:15 o'clock last night.

Maj. Gen. Fechet, accompanied by Lieut. Wood R. Quesada, Air Corps Reserve, piloted one of the two Army amphibian planes used in the expedition, while the other plane was piloted by Capt. Ira C. Eaker. The last lap of the homeward flight was made from Boston. The fliers were due at 6:30, but were delayed by bad weather conditions.

Rockville Shunned  
By Hopeful Couples

For the first time in many months the marriage license bureau in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court at Rockville did not issue a license during two consecutive days, Thursday and yesterday. Usually the records show anywhere from one to ten licenses issued daily. Once issued a license, it passes without the bureau being called upon by hopeful couples, but rarely do such days pass in a row.

Inquiries developed that the lack of applicants on the two days could not be explained. According to officials, the weather has little influence in holding back ardent seekers after matrimonial happiness. Neither do favorite superstitious affects the average demand for licenses. Not only do marrying couples seem to entirely disregard the 13th of any month, but, however, the 13th, is always a popular day.

LEGISLATION SOUGHT  
BY CIVIC FEDERATION

Indorses Plan to Abolish Limit  
on Price of City Land  
Purchases.

Legislation which would abolish the limit of 25 per cent above the assessed value on the price which the Commissioners may pay to acquire property, was indorsed last night by the Federation of Civic Associations in the board room of the District Building. The action was taken in connection with the federalation referred to its committee on public interest, of which Dr. J. Porter is chairman, a motion to investigate procedure before the Police Trial Board. The same committee was authorized to take any steps necessary to combat any proposal for an increase in car fares.

A special committee was appointed to consider the case of Philip A. Jackson, sentenced to be electrocuted Friday, and to see that a full set of facts in the case is presented to the proper authorities. Huerf Brown, secretary of the federation, attacked a recent editorial in a newspaper which demanded that there be no further delay in the execution.

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Civilization and a Canal

A hundred years roll back as the citizens of Georgetown prepare to celebrate the starting of the old C. & O. Canal in 1828.

President John Quincy Adams turned the first earth. It opened the Cumberland and farther western section to coastal trade.

For years it was the link between Washington and a vast interior. And now Georgetown prepares to do honor to the men who took what at that time was a vastly advanced step toward the furtherance of civilization.

There's a page story, beautifully illustrated, in

THE BIG MAGAZINE SECTION  
of Tomorrow's



## KALGAN CAPTURED BY SOUTH CHINESE NORTH OF CAPITAL

New Threat Against Peking  
Seen; Northerners Back  
to Hankow Pass.

FIGHTING SOUTH OF CITY  
GROWING MORE INTENSE

Bulk of Manchurian Armies  
Engaged, Though 25,000  
Men Are in Reserve.

London, May 25 (A.P.).—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Peking says that Chinese sources report that Kalgan, 125 miles northwest of the capital, has surrendered to the Nationalist forces. The report states that the northerners are retreating rapidly.

Farmers report that the northern army is occupying its last line of defense around Nankow Pass. This is approximately 60 miles north of the threatened city.

Occupation of Kalgan constitutes a new threat from a fresh quarter against Peking and the cause of the Chinese northern forces. There have been few previous reports of any military activity in this quarter. The principal fighting of the campaign hitherto has taken place far to the south and southwest of the city.

Heavy fighting in South.  
(Special Cable Dispatch.)  
Peking, May 25.—There is increasing heavy fighting along the lines, 100 miles south of Peking. The bulk of the Manchurian armies is engaged, though 25,000 Khrin troops are assigned to the protection of Tientsin and Peking, with a reserve army exceeding 25,000 held for emergencies.

The battle seems heaviest on the western end, near Pootungfu, from where 1,500 wounded have reached Peking. It is estimated that the Chinese have evacuated less than 20 per cent of their casualties.

The apparent object of the present battle is to drive a breach between the Shanhai army and Gen. Yen Hsiang's troops. The left, on the railway south of Peking, is not importantly engaged, indicating that the southern campaign is aimed at Peking, avoiding Tientsin on account of the danger of foreign complications, since approximately 16,000 protocol troops are guarding the foreign concessions.

Peking Rejects Japan's Stand.

The Nanking government has not replied to the Japanese note regarding the occupation of Manchuria, &c., should Tientsin and Peking be reached, but the Peking government has replied, saying it never would agree to Japan's contention that it is necessary to adopt effective measures. The reply asserts that such action would be a violation of Chinese sovereignty, saying that whether the localities specified are peaceful or otherwise, the Chinese assume responsibility for the protection of foreign residents. The note also asserts that Japan's action violates the nine-point treaty signed at Washington in 1922.

A military conference of the southern factions Saturday at Heuchowfu expected to determine whether Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek or Gen. Feng Yu-Hsiang shall dominate the Nationalists, with indications favoring the latter.

Japanese military circles have obtained information that Gen. Feng, through the agency of C. T. Wang, prospective Nationalist foreign minister, has been assured an immediate Russian loan for the alleged construction of a Belgian-dominated railway in Honan Province through Shensi and Kansu provinces.

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Military Training in Schools.

Shanghai, May 25.—The Nationalist government today passed a regulation providing that two years of military training be included in the curriculum of all the government schools above the high school grade. The course will be applicable beginning with next fall's school term. It also passed a regulation providing for the assignment of military officers to all the schools as instructors. In addition to the regular military courses the government also ordered a special three weeks of intensive instruction during the summer vacations.

The action followed from recommendations passed by the Nationalist educational conference, which has been in session at Nanking the last week, and which was attended by representatives of all parts of the country. The reason given was the necessity for China to develop a modern trained army in the shortest possible time.

Heretofore China did not include military training in the university courses, being under the control of military academies controlled by the army with postgraduate courses in Japan.

The present action is the direct result of the recent clash between Japanese and Chinese troops in Shantung. Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek, generalissimo of the Nationalist army, in an interview given to the press, stated the necessity for China to build up an army in the shortest possible time in order to meet the Japanese enemy, which was interpreted as meaning the Japanese.

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Chinese Asked to Leave.

Tsingtao, May 25 (A.P.).—Gen. Yasumitsu, chief of the Japanese third division, has requested the northern Chinese troops stationed at Tsingtao to

## SOCIALIST PARTY CANDIDATES MEET



Norman Thomas (left), Socialist party candidate for President, and James H. Maurer, the party's candidate for the Vice Presidency, pictured at a meeting of the party leaders held recently in Newark.

## RUM RUNNER CRIPPLED BY SHELLS OF CUTTER

One Lands in Whisky Cargo  
Without Exploding, Saving  
Lives of the Crew.

\$120,000 LIQUOR SEIZED

Special to The Washington Post.  
New York, May 25.—The 110-foot rum runner Tonawanda, formerly a submarine chaser, was shelled and captured in Raritan Bay today before dawn, after her captain and crew of seven men had ignored a warning shot fired over its bow from a pursuing Coast Guard cutter.

Two one-pound shells, fired from the cutter, listed No. 145, ripped into the runner, a fleet oil burner ending the attempt of her crew to escape into the open sea with 1,500 cases of Scotch whisky, valued at \$120,000.

When the runner, her engines disabled, hove to, guardsmen under command of Boatswain Frank Schmidt discovered that a shell had ripped off the aft smokestack. Another shell had torn through the stern, embedding without exploding, in the cargo of liquor.

The captain and the crew of the runner escaped death or injury only because the second shell failed to explode. They were all on the deck abiding life preservers and by the time the boarding party arrived they had destroyed most of the ship's papers.

The runner was taken to the Red Hook Flats of South Brooklyn and the eight men, none of whom would say who was the captain, were taken before United States Commissioner William J. Wilson and held for a hearing on June 14. At the request of Howard W. Amell, assistant United States attorney, two of the men, Eddie Iwens and Walter Parker, were held in bail of \$5,000 each. Another, who said he was Pete Miller, was held in \$3,000 bail. The owner of the boat, according to seized papers, is John H. Barry, of Philadelphia.

Junior Leagues Elect

Mrs. Foskett Brown

Buffalo, N. Y., May 25 (A.P.).—Mrs. Foskett Brown, of Nashville, Tenn., was elected president of the Junior League of America at today's session of the national conference here. Mrs. Roger S. Sperry, of Waterbury, Conn., was named treasurer.

Four new regional directors were chosen as follows: Mrs. Arthur Storrey, Charleston, S. C.; fourth district; Mrs. John E. Paterson, of Kansas City, Mo.; fifth district; Mrs. Almond M. Blow, of Tulsa, Okla.; sixth district; and Mrs. Horace Van Sicken, of San Francisco, seventh district.

The next conference will be at New Orleans. At today's business session the Savannah, Ga., league introduced a motion which would forbid participation of member leagues in party politics and endorsement of candidates or legislation, except that designed to improve laws directly affecting league projects.

withdraw 7 miles from the town. No time limit has yet been fixed for their evacuation.

Report of Sino-Japanese  
Treaty Is Called Baseless

The following statement was issued at the Japanese Embassy:

"In regard to a Shanghai dispatch appearing in The Washington Post this morning, credited to the correspondent at Shanghai of the Chicago Daily Tribune, relative to a 'secret' treaty entered into by the Japanese Minister at Peking and Marshal Chang Tso-lin, the Japanese Ambassador wishes to say that the news is absurd and that it has no foundation whatever."

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## PRESBYTERIAN BODY URGES PRESIDENT SELECTION CHANGE

Committee Report Favoring  
Single Board Opposed in  
Open Assembly.

ISSUE, SAYS VAN DYKE,  
IS FACTION CONTROL

New Plan to Be Discussed and  
Acted Upon at To-  
day's Session.

Tulsa, Okla., May 25 (A.P.).—The report of a committee of eleven proposing a change in the administration of Princeton Theological Seminary at Princeton, N. J., was submitted to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. here today and brought forth immediate opposition.

The report, presented to the assembly by Dr. W. O. Thompson, president emeritus of Ohio State University, contains as its major provisions a proposal for substituting a single board for the board of trustees and board of directors which now control the institution, the new board to be directly responsible to the General Assembly.

Dr. Thompson, president of Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pa., submitted a minority report, opposing the change. Discussion was reserved for tomorrow, when commissioners of the assembly indicated action would be taken, accepting or rejecting the report.

33 on Proposed Board.  
The proposed new board would include 33 members, 18 of whom would be ministers and 15 ruling elders.

In defense of the plan, Dr. Edward J. Fox of Easton, Pa., asserted that legal opinions had been obtained assuring that it would not jeopardize physical property of the institution, the value of which has been estimated between \$8,000,000 and \$9,000,000, and that contrary to its opponents' declarations it would not violate the traditional policies of the seminary.

No legal barrier, he said, lay in the path of establishing a single board of administration.

Dr. Warfield protested that the establishment of a single board would impair the seminary's independence.

Such a board, vested as it is proposed with authority to hire and fire faculty members, would intrude on liberty of theological teaching, he declared. "No board would be qualified to control instruction in the seminary."

Van Dyke Starts Uproar.  
A reference by Dr. Henry Van Dyke, author and former moderator to the Princeton Seminary conference, threw the general assembly into an uproar.

"The trouble at Princeton," said Dr. Van Dyke, "is not a matter of loyalty to the seminary, but a matter of loyalty to the church. The question, however, is whether Princeton should be ruled by a faction in its board or by the church assembly."

"You're out of order," cried one of the commissioners, but Dr. Van Dyke, turning to the chairman, and then appealing to the assembly: "Am I out of order?"

The commissioners arose in a body, many shouting: "No, no, you are not out of order." The hall was in confusion.

Churchmen interpreted the incident as a demonstration in favor of the report proposing for a reorganization of the seminary government.

Dr. Van Dyke's remarks were made in the course of a prepared address in which he attacked a "liberal" but not a "modernist."

Not Modernist, Primitive.  
"If any man says that I am a modernist," the former moderator declared, "I resent the awkward and silly name. I am not a modernist. I go back to the times of medieval scholasticism and seventh century dogmatism to the principles of the Christian faith."

His faith on the teaching that came from Jesus of Nazareth through His Apostles Paul and Peter and James and John and the Holy Spirit, he declared, he adhered to, relying on the Bible as his guide and interpreter.

The appointment of the Rev. Joseph M. Broadie, of Birmingham, Ala., as vice moderator, was announced. Dr. Broadie, Los Angeles, newly elected moderator, and the appointment of standing committees which largely conduct the business of the church were announced.

A budget of \$12,000,000 for board of missions, education, pensions, the American Bible Society, and the Federal Council of Churches was adopted. The board of national missions was apportioned \$3,949,100, the board of foreign missions \$3,066,360, the board of Christian education \$1,857,826, the board of pensions \$650,440, the American Bible Society \$60,690, the Federal Council of Churches \$1,330,000.

Accessions of 100,000 on profession of faith during the last year were reported to the assembly, with a net increase in membership of 40,000.

Trussed in His Bed,  
Robbed of \$25,000

Milwaukee, May 25 (A.P.).—Jacob Rasmussen, manufacturing jeweler of Detroit, Mich., was trussed to his bed at a hotel last night and robbed of \$25,000. Two armed men who executed the robbery had a four-hour stay in flight, Rasmussen taking that long to loosen his bonds and notify police.

Rasmussen went to his room, carrying the jewelry in a sample case. At 10 o'clock last night the men found him, trussed to his bed with a revolver. Rasmussen was thrown on the floor, which he was bound hand and foot.

Calles Asks Morrow  
To Return Speedily

Mexico City, May 25 (A.P.).—President Calles said farewell to his friend Dwight W. Morrow, the American Ambassador, in a most cordial fashion today. He did not give a schedule of his return to the United States, but the Ambassador said the customary diplomatic good-bye visit to the president of the nation was over today.

Morrow will leave Mexico City tomorrow morning for Washington, by way of Laredo, San Antonio and St. Louis.

Carter DeHaven Files  
Bankruptcy Petition

Los Angeles, May 25 (A.P.).—Carter DeHaven, actor and producer, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy here today. He did not give a schedule of his assets and liabilities, apparently taking advantage of the ten days allowed him to do so.

## Teachers Forbidden "Dates" With Pupils

Newcomerstown, Ohio, May 25 (A.P.).—Marriage of pupils and teachers and dating between teachers and pupils came under the ban of the board of education in a meeting today at which governing resolutions were passed.

"Any pupil of the Newcomerstown school district marrying within the school year automatically withdraws from the school," was the first resolution approved.

Others were: "Any teacher marrying within her school term automatically resigns her position," and "any teacher of the schools dating with a pupil of said school automatically resigns her position."

The action was taken as a result of frequent marriages in the last year of pupils and teachers and reports that teachers were having dates with pupils. It was said by members of the board today.

## FORMER FOOTBALL STAR FOUND IN RAVINE, SHOT

J. Ambrose Weldon Was Captain  
of Lafayette Team and  
Later Coach There.

POLICE SUSPECT MURDER

Columbus, Ohio, May 25 (A.P.).—The body of a man found shot to death last night was identified today as that of J. Ambrose Weldon, 33, of Watertown, N. Y., former football star and captain of the Lafayette College team in 1919.

Two youths stumbled upon the body lying in a ravine last evening. Weldon had shot himself in the head with a pistol found nearby. The body was covered by newspapers. Coroner Murphy was inclined to believe Weldon had committed suicide, but the police, after finding nearby a man's hat pierced by a bullet, expressed the belief that the body had been hidden by a slayer.

The identification today was made by J. Ambrose Weldon, who was found shot to death in a ravine at Columbus, Ohio, last night, was the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Weldon, of this city. Weldon had been a member of the Lafayette College football team in 1919 and 1920, and was elected captain for 1921.

After graduating in 1920 he was football coach at Lafayette College for two years. He then came to Columbus, Ohio, where he was employed as a representative of Slaughter Knitting Mills of this city.

Word of his death was received here from his brother-in-law, J. A. Vinu, of Columbus, who identified the body.

## 6 HIGH SCHOOL BANDS REMAIN IN CONTEST

National Competition Under  
Way at Joliet, Ill., With  
Sousa Directing.

Joliet, Ill., May 25 (A.P.).—The little Italy sheets in the possession of the judges hold the secret of which six high school bands will strive for the national title here tomorrow.

The last of the sixteen bands from the larger schools of the country to enter the contest is the high school band of the Joliet High School.

The band of the Joliet High School, which has been making its return to Spitzbergen more difficult and slower than her 1925-hour flight to the pole.

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May Go to Vadsoe.  
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They say that the Italia may make for Vadsoe, Norway, where there is a mooring mast to which the airship was attached before she completed her voyage from Italy to this point.

The Italia is well stocked for emergencies. She had aboard when she left here 8,200 kilograms of gasoline and food enough for one month. The substance stores consist principally of pemmican and chocolate.

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Wireless advices to the Citta di Milano told of the airship being coasted with much ice and of heavy winds which reduced her speed considerably, the ship at times making only 20 miles an hour. It is about 70 miles from the pole to Kings Bay and such a reduction in speed might easily keep the dirigible in the air for 40 hours.

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## E. STANLEY JONES, OF INDIAN, ELECTED METHODIST BISHOP

Native of Maryland, Now in  
Mission Field, Chosen  
After Long Deadlock.

TWO PREVIOUS LEADERS  
WITHDRAW FROM RACE

Resolution Approving Plan  
for Religious Daily  
Is Indorsed.

Kansas City, May 25 (A.P.).—Ending a deadlock of three days, the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church tonight elected Dr. E. Stanley Jones, a missionary of Sitapur, India, to the office of bishop.

Dr. Jones, the author of "The Christ of the Indian Road," and for 20 years a missionary in India, was the third and final bishop to be chosen at this quadrennial session of the conference. The others chosen were R. J. Wade, of Chicago, and James C. Baker, of Urbana, Ill.

The new member of the episcopacy received 560 votes, 41 more than the necessary two-thirds majority.

Dr. Jones is the thirty-third bishop of the church, and is one of the youngest ever to be elected. He was born 44 years ago in Clarksville, Md.

The election of Dr. Jones came after Dr. Joseph H. M. Gray of Scranton, Pa., and Dr. L. O. Hartman, of Boston, who had been leaders in the fruitless voting withdrawal, their candidacies, in hopes of breaking the deadlock.

There was discussion among friends of Dr. Hartman and among delegates that opposition to him on the part of conservatives was because of his activity in raising funds for use in Russia and his activity in opposing the Sacco-Vanzetti executions.

The Rev. L. H. Bugbee, of Minneapolis, who urged Dr. Hartman closely in the voting on the sixteenth ballot, announced his withdrawal after that ballot was taken, saying he wished to remain what he was and where he was. Dr. Cushman, of Rochester, N. Y., announced his withdrawal after the next ballot. He said it was his personal desire to remain in his present position.

Church Daily Approved.  
A resolution approving a proposal for Christian Journalists to publish "A Great Church Year" was adopted by the conference. The resolution said a project had been under way for some time to start a newspaper "run by Christian journalists and definitely committed to the handling of news with regard for right thinking, accuracy and high standards."

The Rev. Stanley H. Jones, of New York, writer and former missionary to China, was understood to have sponsored the resolution.

Provision for Past.  
In accordance with the decision of the general conference to provide for Anson Bost, suspended bishop of Colorado, until further action by his own conference, the episcopacy committee today recommended that he be given \$500 for expenses in June and July for his return to Denmark, and \$75 a month for not to exceed six months after July 1. The monthly payments were given before that time if Bost were given a stipend by his conference or obtained employment outside the church.

The episcopacy committee also recommended that a technical complaint filed against Bishop Edgar Blake, of Paris, in connection with the calling of a conference be dismissed.

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## PLANE BUILDER IS KILLED IN AERO OF OWN DESIGN

H. C. Doyle Dies Near Curtiss  
Field; Army Flier Leaps in  
Day's Second Crash.

Chicago, May 25 (A.P.).—A "kiss with every special delivery letter was the formula William Carago, 18, followed, until police put a stop to it.

Entering the Bell Telephone Co. office, he went toward Miss Edith Tryon, a clerk.

"Special delivery, lady," he announced, plunking a kiss on her cheek before she could defend herself. Recovering quickly, she slammed him with a phone directory, and he left.

The next stop was the office of the U. S. Hoffman Co., where he offered condolences in rapid succession to the Misses Leah Dakile, Hedwig Shadrey, Josephine Zuccala, and Genevieve Hitchcock, each time meeting rebuff. By this time police arrived.

Young Carago told officers he guessed the good old game of "postoffice" was not as popular with the girls as it used to be.

Carago was not the postoffice Lothario in court today that he was in his delivery work. He stood abashed in boys' corners among the bevy of young women to whom he had delivered a kiss with each letter. Their demeanor indicated an unsympathetic attitude.

Nine girls testified he tried to kiss or caress them. Then the judge continued the hearing until June 1.

All of the young women were more than ordinarily comely. The judge sent Carago to the psychiatric laboratory for an examination as to his mentality.

## Milk Truck Derails Train; Two Are Killed

Dyer, Ind., May 25 (A.P.).—The engine and front end of a train, en route from Indianapolis to Chicago, were killed today when the train struck the trailer of a milk truck at St. Johns, 5 miles from here, overturning the engine and derailing five coaches.

William Balfinger, the engineer, of Indianapolis, was pinned under his engine, and Floyd E. Crowder, the fireman, also of Indianapolis, was scalped to death. Crowder's body was brought here. Passengers were shaken up but unhurt, station agent here reported.

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## NEW FILMS FLASHED ON THE SCREEN TODAY

## Saturday's New Shadow Dramas

**METROPOLITAN**—George Bancroft and Evelyn Brent in "The Showdown." George Bancroft, who recently swept triumphantly to stardom through his work in the sensational drama, "Underworld," has achieved an equally powerful characterization in "The Showdown," his first starring vehicle for Paramount which is this week's screen feature at Grandall's Metropolitan Theater.

Realizing that Bancroft had created a definite niche for himself in the hearts of theater audiences, Paramount set out to find a new story for the player which would give scope for the tremendous vitality he exhibited in "Underworld." "The Pony Express," "Old Ironsides," and "The Rough Riders." In the new picture, "The Showdown," they found a character exactly suited to the star. As a wandering old drifter seeking fortune in the mines of Tampico, Bancroft has given a convincing portrayal which surpasses in strength and realism even that of Bull Weed in "Underworld."

"The Showdown" is the story of a man whose footsteps have been dogged by spies from wealthy oil companies and who has seen success snatched from his grasp time after time by those scheming interests. When at length he has outwitted them and is about to reap the reward of his toil, there comes a test of courage and honor such as he has never confronted him before. His method of meeting this test makes one of the most dramatic stories which has ever been filmed. Heading the supporting cast are Evelyn Brent, Neil Hamilton, Leslie Fenton, Fred Kohler and Arnold Kent.

A new Mack Sennett comedy, "Smith's Holiday," a technicolor reel in natural colors of "Girls of Today," and a specially arranged musical score by the Metropolitan Orchestra, Alex. Podnos conducting, complete the program.

**PALACE**—Ramon Navarro in "Across to Singapore."

Ramon Navarro, hero of "The Student Prince," "Ben Hur," and many other famous plays, is seen in his latest success, "Across to Singapore," at Loew's Palace this week. On the stage Loew-Public presents John Murray Anderson's latest creation, "Flapperettes." The new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production is a dramatic romance of the high seas, laid aboard the old clipper ship, "The Yellow Lily," and a large cast of actors plays a young sailor, an amazing tangle of love and adventure, figures in desperate runs across the Pacific, mutiny and other graphic details incidental to a vivid story.

A notable cast supports the star, Joan Crawford, heroine of "West Point," and other popular pictures, including "The New Sea Drama," Ernest Torrence and Edward Connelly are also prominently cast. Much of the picture was taken aboard the famous old clipper Narwhal.

"Flapperettes" is a peppy revue with the Twelve Foster Girls, strutting flappers; Rio Brothers, three red hot dancers from the campus; Chic Kennedy, flapper from U. S. Bowery; Luley, Mealey and Crocker, three red hot dancers from the firehouse; and Billy Gerber, the personality girl. Wesley Eddy and his Palace Synopators are the features of the presentation.

The Palace Orchestra, under the direction of Harry Borjes, short subjects and the M-G-M newscast complete the program.

**FOX**—May McAvoy and Conrad Nagel in "If I Were Single."

What can happen to married folks when a vamp enters the picture after a year of bliss is the subject of the story told in "If I Were Single," the Fox Theater screen feature for the new week. It is a comedy in light comedy vein—not as a triangle—and thus provides for May McAvoy and Conrad Nagel, two of the screen's best-known players, roles of a character with which they have won considerable success and no small following.

The supporting cast includes Myrna Loy and Andre Beranger. Robert Lord wrote the story and Roy Del Ruth, with several outstanding successes to his credit, directed the picture.

The Stebbins stage program will open with Leon Brunsell directing the orchestra through "The Slavonic Rhapsody" by Carl Friedmann, based on the folk tunes of the Slavic people.

From this to the screen for a Movie-tone appearance, Robert Benchley, famed critic of the humorous weekly Life, who turned actor in "The Music Box Revue." This reproduction of Mr. Benchley's "Treasure Report" is looked upon as a comedy classic.

The specialty revue with Earl Carpenter and his band as the background has been so routinized as to present many Broadway celebrities in only the best of their respective efforts and it is anticipated that the new number will fully measure up to preceding creations that have won much approval from patrons of the Fox.

**EARLE**—Billie Dove in "The Yellow Lily."

Why resort to mythical kingdoms for film romances when there is a real kingdom so rich in exotic colors as Hungary? "The Yellow Lily," Billie Dove's latest starring vehicle for First National, gives the American film audience all that it could possibly wish in the way of picturesque, alluring foreign locale, striking human types, quaint customs and different love-making.

Alexander Korda directed the picture, which was adapted from Lajos Biro's stage play of the same name. The plot is full of thrills and new twists and there is an exotic flavor even in the fine photography. Striking character

types abound in the cast and colorful costumes, imported from Hungary, increase the spectators' illusion that he is in the land of the Magyars.

In conjunction with the screen feature, there is also offered a new Stanley Co. of America presentation, "Radio Nights," which features Jack Pepper, master of ceremonies; the Ada Kaufman Girls, Billy Claire, Mignole, Julia Geritty, Madge and Betty Meryl, and the Six Banjo Daisies.

"The Yellow Lily" is a distinct treat for American film audiences; strong in plot interest as well as color, it is an ideal vehicle for the beautiful Miss Dove who is supported by Jane Winton, Clive Brook, Gustaf Von Seyffertitz and Nicolas Soussanin.

The program will be completed by excellent short reel subjects and musical accompaniment for the pictured subjects by the Earle Orchestra, Daniel Breakin conducting.

**RIALTO**—Charles Ray and Jobyna Ralston in "The Count of Ten."

"The Count of Ten," a pulse-quicken picture of the championship prize ring, played by a trio of screen stars, Charles Ray, Jobyna Ralston and James Gleason, is the feature at the Rialto this week.

The story concerns Johnny McKinney, a rising young prize fighter, whose aim is the middleweight championship of the world. Jimmy, his manager, takes him to Chicago to arrange a championship fight. Johnny falls in love with Betty, a glove clerk in a restaurant where he works. His father and brother move in on them and live off the money which Johnny earns.

Betty, with more money than she has ever dreamed of possessing, spends it lavishly and soon gets her husband into debt. In a charity but Johnny breaks a bone in his hand and has to lay off fighting. At the same time, Betty's father, who is a gambler, loses his money and is forced to leave her.

The fighter breaks with his manager and challenges the champion in order to get the money. Arthur, the brother, becomes manager. Johnny loses the fight, as he is unable to use his right hand and Jimmie, sitting in the audience, can not watch the punishment of the mistakes of Arthur, who is in Johnny's corner. He throws in a towel as an admission of defeat. Jimmie, who has been most bitter, brings about a reconciliation between the fighter and his wife, and later pilots his protégé to the coveted championship.

The overture by the Rialto Orchestra, Roy Bonnell conducting, consists of selections from "Bohemian Girl."

The International Newscast and other short films are added auxiliary features.

**COLUMBIA**—Dolores Del Rio in "Ramona." The much heralded "Ramona," featuring the Mexican star, Dolores Del Rio, and adopted from the novel by Helen Hunt Jackson, continues for a second week at Loew's Columbia. The producer, Edwin Carewe, has adhered to the original story in so far as possible.

"Ramona" is a tale of early California, during the days of the Mission Indians. It is a story of love, interest and concerns an Indian maiden brought up under the stern care of a haughty Spanish senora. The senora's son, Felipe, is in love with Ramona but when Ramona gives her love to Alessandro, an Indian, he helps her escape from the hacienda in order that she may marry the redskin.

After three years of happiness her child dies and when a short while later Alessandro is accused of stealing a horse and is shot, she reaches the heights of despair. She wanders about until she is taken in by an Indian family. Felipe finds her and brings her back to his mother's hacienda, where her memory is restored.

The direction of Claude Burrows; short subjects, including an "Our Gang" comedy and the M-G-M Newscast, complete the program.

**COLLEEN HAS TOUGH BREAK UPON RETURN**

Colleen Moore is rapidly becoming a regular sea-going salt! As soon as she returned from her trip to Honolulu, where she had been vacationing since the completion of her latest picture, "Happines Ahead," she packed her duffel-bag and went aboard a palatial sailing yacht, which will be used as the background for several sequences in her next starring vehicle, "Oh, Kay!"

The scenario for this picture, which Carey Wilson adapted from the musical comedy success, calls for several weeks of camera-work aboard the yacht. Consequently, Miss Moore, Producer John McCormick, Director Mervyn LeRoy and the cast and technical staff will spend part of the summer season cruising off Southern California in one of the finest sailing crafts in Pacific waters.

Preparations for the filming of "Oh, Kay!" have been virtually completed under the supervision of McCormick, who has announced that Lawrence Gray will be Miss Moore's leading man.

## HUSKY STAR WAS FORMER NAVY BOXER

The heavyweight prize ring lost a great bet when George Bancroft, star of "The Showdown," now at the Metropolitan Theater, left the United States Navy and stormed Broadway and the movies.

Standing six feet, two and a half inches, Bancroft was forced into the ring early in his career as a matter of self-protection. He liked it so well that he became a regular feature of the navy boxing bouts.

When he was only 18, a large negro in the service approached him one day and asked, "Do you think you're tough?" Without waiting for a reply the inquirer planted a large foot in the center of Bancroft's face. A fight followed in which Bancroft was wounded, being outwitted more than 50 pounds.

A few days later, Bancroft had an argument with his best friend, the "friend" hit him two terrible wallop—both on the nose. When Bancroft recovered the use of his eyes, he said to himself, "From now on, no man will ever hit my nose again, no one."

He took up the study of boxing and became one of the finest heavyweight fighters in the navy.

A prize fighter with a single track mind is the part enacted by Charles Ray in his latest picture, "The Count of Ten," which is the feature at the Rialto this week. Ray, throughout a long film career which has made him one of the best known players in motion pictures, has possibly never appeared to such advantage as in this role, which is different from anything he has ever attempted.

"The Count of Ten" will prove a thrilling picture for those who are interested in boxing as well as for those who love romance. Intermingled with the story of the ring is a love story, the single track love of the prize fighter for his wife, who first causes him to lose the fight for the middleweight championship of the world, and then regain it.

Gerald Beaumont, the well-known author of sport stories, first wrote this under the title of "Betty's Lady" for a widely read magazine.

James Gleason, whose interpretation of a typical prize fighter's manager in "Is Zat So?" on the legitimate stage was a gem, plays a similar part in "The Count of Ten."

Miss Loy was born in Helena, Mont., and received her education in Los Angeles where she studied for a time to be a concert pianist. Sid Grauman, famous impresario and owner of the largest motion picture theaters in Hollywood, saw her dance one evening at the home of some friends and was successful in persuading her to appear for him in a prologue to "The Ten Commandments."

She was seen in several other stage presentations at the same theater, including a number preceding "The Tiler of Bagdad" and one with "Romola."

Her motion picture debut was made under the direction of Monta Bell in "Pretty Ladies." A Warner executive saw her splendid performance and soon signed her to a contract under which she has done excellent work, notably in "Across the Pacific," "Bitter Apple," "Climb-a-Rope," "Simple Sis," "A Sailor's Sweetheart" and "The Girl From Chicago."

**A Cagey Cop.** Here's the newest on Bebe Daniels. The story, told in Photoplay Magazine, goes that she was driving her roadster at a 50-mile clip on a country road, when a speed cop slipped up behind her. Intent on making out his tag, he mumbled without glancing up, "Only Bebe Daniels can go that fast without getting a ticket."

The cop looked at her and immediately recognized who she was. Then, continuing his writing, he added, "And she can't, either."

F. Richard Jones has signed a contract to direct the next Jack Holt starring Western picture, "The Water Hole," based on a Zane Grey story. He has left Hollywood on a location scouting trip in Arizona.

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## THIS PROVES MISS LOY IS NOT CHINESE A VACATION PROBLEM IS DISPATCHED

The girl who plays the vamp in "If I Were Single," opening today at the Fox Theater, is one of the most interesting personalities among the young women in film work. Her name is Myrna Loy.

Miss Loy was born in Helena, Mont., and received her education in Los Angeles where she studied for a time to be a concert pianist. Sid Grauman, famous impresario and owner of the largest motion picture theaters in Hollywood, saw her dance one evening at the home of some friends and was successful in persuading her to appear for him in a prologue to "The Ten Commandments."

She was seen in several other stage presentations at the same theater, including a number preceding "The Tiler of Bagdad" and one with "Romola."

Her motion picture debut was made under the direction of Monta Bell in "Pretty Ladies." A Warner executive saw her splendid performance and soon signed her to a contract under which she has done excellent work, notably in "Across the Pacific," "Bitter Apple," "Climb-a-Rope," "Simple Sis," "A Sailor's Sweetheart" and "The Girl From Chicago."

**Popularity.** If you are curious to know what players are most in the movie fan's mind just now, the questions asked the motion picture editors about them are probably the best indicators. Photoplay Magazine, for example, reports that the most persistent questions received during the past month concerned Clara Bow, Charles Rogers, Sue Carroll, John Gilbert, Phyllis Haver and Don Alvarado.

Earl Carpenter, now with his band at the Fox, was before entering the stage band field, a professional baseball player. That, however, was quite some time ago, according to Carpenter, who has been wielding the baton for the past fifteen years. His present combination of entertainer-musicians has been intact for the last three years. That in itself is quite some record.

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## EXOTIC FILM LENT FLAVOR FROM ABROAD

The realistic, exotic flavor of Billie Dove's latest screen vehicle, "The Yellow Lily," now playing at the Metropolitan Theater, was largely contributed by Alexander Korda, famous Hungarian director.

When this First National adaptation of Lajos Biro's Hungarian stage play was in preparation, Korda was chosen to direct it because of his familiarity with the locale, as well as his success behind the megaphone in others. His first step was to import props and costumes directly from his native land Hungary.

Many Hungarian actors appear in the supporting cast, and Korda also brought from Hungary several technical experts. Many eyes and minds were on the problem; a film treat filled with the glamour, true color and romance of its exotic setting resulted.

Clive Brook plays opposite Miss Dove in "The Yellow Lily," and a large capable supporting cast is headed by Gustaf von Seyffertitz, Jane Winton, Nicholas Soussanin, Marc McDermott, Bodil Roising and Charles Puffy.

**FRENCH VIEW IS SHOWN IN DICK'S NEXT**

Although Richard Barthelmess is still on his honeymoon vacation in Hawaii, plans are rapidly going ahead for his next starring vehicle, "Out of the Ruins."

A number of prominent players are already being considered for roles in this picture, adapted by Gerald Duffy from the story by Sir Philip Gibbs, and John Francis Dillon, who is to direct, is assembling his technical staff for the picture.

Dillon directed Barthelmess in "The Noose," one of the biggest box-office pictures of the year.

"Out of the Ruins" deals with the period following the World War, and gives the French viewpoint of the great conflict.

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## SCHWAB SEES NEED TO END CROSS HAUL IN STEEL INDUSTRY

Each Manufacturer Should Meet Regional Demand, Institute Is Told.

PAY CUT OR PRICE RISE CALLED ALTERNATIVES

Pittsburgh and Chicago Sales in Each Other's District Are Criticized.

New York, May 25 (A.P.)—Elimination of cross hauling, or unnecessary transportation, would effect desired economies for the steel industry and obviate the necessity of cutting wages or increasing prices, President Charles M. Schwab told the American Iron and Steel Institute at its semiannual meeting today.

He recommended that the institute constitute a committee of expert steel men to study the problem and frankly place before the public and the proper public authorities a constructive plan looking to that end, adding that Government supervision of such measures would be advised.

Explaining that the industry's return of approximately 5 per cent upon its \$3,000,000,000 investment is not only inadequate, but the loss of any of the principal manufacturing industries, Mr. Schwab declared that such a low margin of profit is not conducive to sustained national prosperity. Reduction of costs and increase in prices were suggested as the "most obvious remedies," but belief was expressed that the industry already had gone to the limit in reducing production costs.

Wage Cuts Undesirable. Wage cuts were held to be undesirable. Price increases, while helpful to the industry and fair from the customers' viewpoint, he said, might be avoided by eliminating waste due to distribution, thus finding another solution of the problem of obtaining adequate returns.

Mr. Schwab pointed out that when a Chicago steel manufacturer ships 100,000 tons of steel to Pittsburgh at a time when a Pittsburgh manufacturer is shipping a like quantity to Chicago, sales must be made at prices prevailing in the district where the steel is sold. Consequently the prices net less to the manufacturer than if the Chicago manufacturer had supplied the Chicago market and the Pittsburgh manufacturer the Pittsburgh market.

Turning to business conditions, Mr. Schwab said, "America is enjoying an amazing period of prosperity," with the moderation in business which a presidential year usually brings, less manifest than in other years of political uncertainty. Seasonal conditions were viewed as favorable, with justification for expecting a volume of business greater than that of 1927.

The institute adopted the proposal of Mr. Schwab that it annually award a gold and a bronze medal, both to be known as Elbert H. Gary medals, in honor of the late chairman of the board of the United States Steel Corporation.

The gold medal will be awarded to the man the institute deems has done the most for the industry in a manner similar to the annual award of the British Iron and Steel Institute. The bronze medal will be for the best technical paper on conditions in the industry.

**TRACTION MERGER INQUIRY IS VOTED**

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had charged that the company is out to make a "clean-up" on the merger. William McK. Clayton, chairman of the public utilities committee of the Federation of Citizens Associations, yesterday took issue with recent published statements of John W. Childress, chairman of the Public Utilities Commission, who, anticipating an application by the Capital Traction Co. for permission to increase street car fares, said that the commission is under court order to accept the \$26,000,000 valuation of the car company's plant and also that the Potomac Electric Power Co. is permitted by the court to earn 7 1/2 per cent on value and the same return can not be denied the car properties.

"In these published statements," said Clayton, "the chairman of the commission comes very close, if not altogether, disqualifying himself to sit as a member of the commission in the expected rate proceeding. There is no such order of the court compelling the commission to accept present value in fixing a new rate.

The Potomac Electric Power Co. case was compromised by agreement between the commission and the company. The court had nothing to do with it except to approve the agreement between the parties. This agreement will stand only so long as the commission permits it to stand, and as a matter of fact the company is now and has been earning considerably more than a 7 1/2 per cent rate of return. So it becomes the duty of the commission, if it considers 7 1/2 per cent a fair rate, to see to it that the company is held down to that figure.

"The commission has always insisted that it represents the public, but if the chairman continues as radically procorporate as his statements indicate, the public must look elsewhere for representation and protection."

**Megan Lloyd George Is Commons Nominee**

Llangefni, Anglesey, Wales, May 25 (A.P.)—Stormy scenes marked the first political success of Miss Megan Lloyd George yesterday, when the 25-year-old daughter of former Premier David Lloyd George hoped to sit beside her father in the House of Commons as the Liberal member from the Anglesey division.

Local differences among the Liberal electors caused a noisy scene when they met to choose their candidate for the seat. There were three candidates—Miss Lloyd George, William J. Roberts and Col. Lawrence Williams. Megan got 323 votes to the colonel's 14, while Mr. Roberts got 245.

Man and Six Children Die in Fire. Wellington, N. Z., May 25—Alfred Wooler, a settler, and five children, aged from 6 to 13 and another boy, 12, were burned to death in his farmhouse near Hawera.

## CONGRESS SENDS PAY RAISE BILL TO PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

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the postal pay raise bill over his veto, and he declared that the House would have approved the Senate bill if it had been given the chance.

Denies Veto Danger. "Thank ye, gentlemen," he cried, "the House conferees, watchdogs of the Treasury, wouldn't agree to give the poor old charwomen 10 cents more an hour, but insisted on cutting it down to 8 cents an hour."

He declared that the President never would have vetoed the bill if the charwomen's raise had been left in. In conclusion, Woodrum announced that he was going to vote against the report, even though he knew he would be the only member who would do so. After he had taken his seat, Representative Lehlbach (Republican), of New Jersey, chairman of the civil service committee, moved that the report be adopted.

A thunderous chorus of "ayes" arose, completely drowning out Woodrum's "no."

The Senate acted on the bill shortly after the House. The Senate bill had been broken and the tax reduction bill was out of the way. The motion to approve the report on the bill was made by Senator Brookhart (Republican), of Iowa.

Explained by Brookhart. In response to the request of Senator Dill, Senator Brookhart explained the compromise reached by the conferees. "In the House bill, in about half of the grades," he said, "they crowded in five steps, cutting off the two lower ones. The Senate added two at the top, making seven to correspond to the old law. On all of those we were compelled to recede one half, one step that we put on at the top. That gives everybody two step ups in advance, except the last one, who gets only one step up."

"In the rest of the grades the House had only stepped them up one step, and we put on one step at the top. We were compelled to take off that step so that in those grades everybody will get one step advance, except the one at the top, who gets no advance."

"Then in the charwomen and clerical-mechanical grades, the House had advanced them 5 cents an hour. We advanced them 5 cents more. We were compelled to give up those advances."

"I will say that I regretted that more than any other part we had to give up, because I feel that those people are underpaid. However, they all get an advance of \$10 a month under the House bill."

Increases for Poorly-Paid. Dill said the only thing he was concerned about was whether the poorly-paid employees would get substantial increases. "They all get a substantial increase."

Every one of them," said Brookhart. "They are better taken care of than the higher-paid employees in the same steps."

Dill broke in on Brookhart at this point. "How does the committee defend an increase of \$120 for the people who are getting less than \$1,200 a year?" he asked, "when in some of these higher grades they get \$300 or \$400 in increases?"

"I will say that I do not try to defend it," said Brookhart. "It is the best we could do in the conference. We all agree, however, that the bill as it comes back here is better than the original House bill by a considerable amount."

"Does every grade get this increase?" Dill asked. "or is it possible for the personnel officers to juggle some of the men out?"

"The personnel officers," Brookhart replied, "would have no discretion under the bill as amended. They are advanced relatively in their relative positions, and there is at least one step advance for everybody except the top step in those grades where there is but one step advance."

Dill finally announced that he had said all he wanted to say at a moment later the report was adopted.

**Princess Victoria, Kaiser's Sister, Fined**

Bonn, Germany, May 25 (A.P.)—Princess Victoria of Schaumburg-Lippe, sister of the former Kaiser and wife of Alexander Subkoff, young Russian refugee, now has a conviction against her name in police records, having been fined marks \$25 for violating police regulations in failing to obtain a German visa for a recent visit to Belgium, where her husband is in exile.

The princess accompanied Subkoff's mother and another Russian on a visit to her husband, who has been staying in Belgium ever since he was expelled from Germany after a series of escapades.

**Parliament Committee Would Free Pangalos**

Athens, May 25 (A.P.)—The parliamentary committee announced today that it had decided to favor releasing Gen. Theodoros Pangalos, former president, on bail of 220,000 drachmas (\$2,200).

Pangalos has been in prison awaiting further hearings on a charge of treason growing out of his rise to power in July, 1926.

The decision must be approved by parliament before it becomes effective.

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The Tennessee senator attacked the bill with charges that Government preemption of the Cove Creek site within 100 miles of the State was a violation of the Federal Constitution and that it would deprive the State of taxing and of regulatory powers over both lands occupied or flooded and the electric current produced through use of the Cove Creek area system.

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## GERMANS HOPE TO GET GOLD FROM SEA DASHED

Yellow Metal There, Dr. Haber Says, but Extraction Is Far Too Expensive.

EXPERIMENTS DISAPPOINT

Berlin, May 25 (A.P.)—Faint hopes that Germany might possibly pay her war reparations debt with gold extracted from sea water were dashed today by Prof. Fritz Haber, who lectured before the Oceanographic Congress here. Prof. Haber said that any prospect of winning appreciable amounts of gold from the sea has utterly vanished.

The lecturer won the Nobel prize in chemistry in 1918 and is professor at the Kaiser Wilhelm Institute for Physical and Electric Chemistry. His position and reputation gave his conclusions great weight with the scientific audience.

Prof. Haber said that the possibility of extracting gold from the oceans had long a strong appeal to scientists and inventors. Since 1872 some 30 extracting processes have been patented. When the reparations commission in 1921 forced Germany's war debt at 132 milliards in gold marks, equal to 50,000 tons of gold, German chemists again approached the alluring possibility of seeking a practical means of obtaining yellow metal from the sea.

The great Swedish chemist, Svante Arrhenius, in 1903 estimated that there were eight milliard tons of gold in the ocean. Prof. Haber said today that the highest yield ever obtained was 0.000000001 gram of gold from one liter of sea water. He explained that this was ten times more than Arrhenius had calculated, but he added that sea water varied so extraordinarily and uncontrollably in gold content that laboratory experiments had resulted only in disappointment.

Gold is there, he concluded, but the hope that science might make its extraction a paying proposition has not materialized.

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crats at 3 o'clock.

## LANDIS SPEAKER TONIGHT

A radio hook-up will be linked with 8:15 to 10 o'clock tonight to broadcast the speeches of the seven district winners in the national finals to select America's champion for the Third International Oratorical Contest this fall. Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, will speak and Reinald Werrenbach, barytone, will sing. There will be music by the United States Marine Band. The rest of the program will be devoted to addresses by the seven contestants.

One of the seven will be chosen to represent the United States against the champion high school orators of seven other nations at the international finals in Washington October 13.

The biennial congressional world series baseball game between Republicans and Democrats, which will be held at the American League park this afternoon, will be broadcast by Station WRC. Thornton Fisher, sports announcer, and John B. Daniel, WRC announcer, will describe the game for the radio audience. Microphones will be installed just behind home plate. Every detail of the game will go on the air.

Representative Clyde Kelly, of Pennsylvania, will captain the Republicans and Representative Thomas McMillan, of South Carolina, will head the Democratic aggregation. President Coolidge will toss out the first ball. The United States Marine Band will give a concert at 2:30 o'clock and the game will begin at 3 o'clock. The proceeds of the game will be added to the building fund of the Congressional Club. Judge Keneaw M. Landis, chief of baseball, John A. Heydler, president of the National League, and E. S. Bernard, president of the American League, will be speakers in the annual celebration of baseball day in Hartford, Conn. The parade of 7,000 schoolboys, all in baseball uniform and marching to the music of a dozen bands, is scheduled to get under way shortly after 7 o'clock. Time. Station WEAF, with Graham McNamee at the microphone, will broadcast the event.

Ideas on table decoration for both formal and informal affairs and also several of the most-prized Cuban recipes will be given over WRC this morning at 10 o'clock by Mme. Ferrara, wife of the Cuban Ambassador to the United States.

The United States Navy Band, under the direction of Lieut. Charles Benter, will broadcast a concert at 7 o'clock. A jubilee composed by Elizabeth Heyvin, an American writer, will be played by the orchestra, conducted by Ludwig Laurier, during the slumber music at 10 o'clock.

Les Colvin and his Columbians will broadcast a program of dance music from WMAL at 7:30 o'clock. Records by Ernie Golden and his Hotel McAlpin orchestra will be heard during the Brunswick Saturday Nighters' program at 9:30 o'clock.

A program of request numbers will be played from WRHF at 6:35 o'clock tonight.

## RADIO

**LOCAL STATIONS.**  
**EASTERN STANDARD TIME.**  
NAA—Arlington.  
(435 Meters, 1,000 Kilocycles.)  
10:05 a. m.—3:45 and 10:05 p. m.—  
Weather reports.  
WMA—Washington Radio Forum.  
(241 Meters, 1,240 Kilocycles.)  
8:30 p. m.—Thirty Club Forum.  
10:30 p. m.—Les Colvin and his Colum-  
bians.  
8:30 p. m.—Correct time.  
8:30 p. m.—The Washington's Compensation  
Insurance.  
8:30 p. m.—Phil Hayden and Les Colvin.  
8:30 p. m.—The Harry Strong Trio.  
8:40 p. m.—Lucille Hadeney, soprano.  
8:40 p. m.—Gertrude Brooks, "Trumblers."  
8:40 p. m.—The Radio Forum.  
8:40 p. m.—Madison Sherman, popular  
singer.  
8:30 p. m.—Brunswick Saturday Nighters.  
10:10-10:30 p. m.—New Music.  
WRC—Radio Corp. of America.  
(469 Meters, 640 Kilocycles.)  
8:45 a. m.—Tender health exercises.  
7:30-7:50 p. m.—Parnassus Trio.  
10:10 a. m.—Formal Luncheon and Dinner  
Deception, by Mrs. F. W. Fletcher.  
10:15 a. m.—Radio Household Institute.  
10:30 a. m.—NBC studio program.  
10:45 a. m.—Radio Housekeeping Club, by  
Lily Hawthorn Wallace.  
11:30 a. m.—Neptune Trio.  
11:30 a. m.—Waldorf-Astoria Orchestra.  
12:30 p. m.—By-play account of the  
Washington baseball game.  
1:30 p. m.—Congressional baseball game  
from Griffith Stadium.  
4 p. m.—The Marionettes.  
4:30 p. m.—Waldorf-Astoria Orchestra.  
5:30 p. m.—New Music.  
5:35 p. m.—Motion picture guide.  
5:38 p. m.—Baseball score.  
8 p. m.—South Sea Islanders.  
8:30 p. m.—"The Radio Forum."  
by David Hogg, member of Congress from  
Indiana.  
8:45 p. m.—Fifteen Minutes With the  
Washington College of Music.  
9 p. m.—U. S. Navy Band, under the di-  
rection of Lieut. Charles Benter, broadcast  
from navy yard.  
9:45 p. m.—"A Week of the World's  
Business," by Dr. Julius Klein, director of  
the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Com-  
merce.  
9:50 p. m.—Studio program.  
9:55 p. m.—Third International oratorical  
contest, opening address by the Secretary  
of Commerce, the Hon. Herbert Hoover; solo-  
ists, Reinald Werrenbach and barytone, sing-  
ing, by the United States Marine Band.  
10 p. m.—Slumber music.  
10:10 p. m.—U. S. weather forecast.  
11:12 p. m.—Wardman Park Hotel Or-  
chestra.  
WRHF—American Broadcasting Co.  
(322 Meters, 930 Kilocycles.)  
10 a. m.—Household talk.  
10:30 a. m.—Victor hour.  
8 p. m.—Lost and found.  
11:05 a. m.—Talks and music.  
2 p. m.—Baseball game, Washington at  
Boston.  
8:45 p. m.—The Town Crier.  
8 p. m.—Victor dinner concert.  
8:30 p. m.—The Radio Forum.  
8:35 p. m.—Program consisting of request  
numbers.  
**DISTANT STATIONS.**  
(Eastern Standard Time.)  
WBAL—Baltimore.  
(283 Meters, 1,050 Kilocycles.)  
8:30 p. m.—Dinner music.  
7:30 p. m.—Jubilee singers, Clarence John-  
son, conductor.  
8 p. m.—Concert by Knights of Columbus  
choir.

## Hostess to Women's Club

MRS. PETER GOELT GERRY.  
Wife of Senator Gerry, who will entertain this evening for the members of  
the Women's National Press Club.

## SOCIETY EVENTS

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were the guests in whose honor Miss Elizabeth Young and Miss Jane Young entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Willard. There were 70 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Southerland, of Long Island, N. Y., have arrived at the Carlton for a stay of a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Hopkins, of Chicago, are also at the Carlton.

Mrs. A. M. Bell, of Hampton, Va., who is staying at the Grace Dodge Hotel, has been joined there by Mrs. F. W. Decker, of Staten Island, N. Y.

The Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Fletcher, of Columbia, S. C., are also at the Grace Dodge Hotel.

Baroness von Oertzen, of Kistendorf, Germany, is at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel for a few days' visit and is accom-  
panied by Dr. Eleanore A. Campbell, of New York.

Max George L. Walter, Jr., has with her at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel for a few days' visit her sister, Miss Jean L. Fagan, of Pittsburgh.

Miss Lucille Claire Smith will return to her home here from New York on Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Leigh Meyer, of Philadel-  
phia, is at the Carlton, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Hamilton, also of Philadel-  
phia.

The home of Miss Emma T. Hamm, Bonnie Brae, at 6035 Daniels road, in Rock Creek Park, is gay today with the picturesque booths and tables prepared for the country fair which the Zonta Club is giving there this afternoon for the benefit of their scholarship fund.

The fair, lasting from 2 to 8 p. m., will have all of the features of any event of the kind and a number of additional games and stunts. Miss Elizabeth Young and Miss Jane Young, who will be in charge of the arrange-  
ments.

Miss May Meyer has the bridge tables; Miss Ida Steger the delicatessen table, where one can buy home-cooked foods at reasonable rates. Miss Esther Gude will have the fancy work table, where beautiful handmade articles will be for sale. Mrs. Emily Dickinson will preside over the food, drinks and Miss Mary A. Lindsay, the costume jewelry. Mrs. Harriet Howe will tell fortunes and Miss Betty Hummer will have various games of chance under her care. Mrs. Lucia Hendley will manage the suit case race. Hot dogs, sandwiches, ice cream cones, popcorn, peanuts and other light refreshments will also be available.

To reach Bonnie Brae, enter Rock Creek Park on Military road either from Sixteenth street or Connecticut avenue and turn north on Daniels road. Bonnie Brae is about 1 mile north on Daniels road.

Automobiles will meet the bus at Sixteenth and Kennedy streets every 15 minutes.

JUSTICE GORDON GETS  
SUIT OVER D. A. R. PINSCase of Mrs. E. D. Key for In-  
junction Taken Under  
Advisement.

The motion of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution to dismiss an injunction suit filed in Equity Court by Mrs. Ellenore Dutch Key, to prevent alleged interference with her supposed exclusive right to make and sell recognition pins was taken under advisement yesterday by Justice Peyton Gordon in Equity Court.

Attorneys Burton and Marye, counsel for the society, contended that it had done no wrongful act toward Mrs. Key and if the latter has any cause for complaint she should air her differences with the society in the law courts where she may sue for damage for alleged breach of contract.

Attorneys Cox and Herrick, counsel for Mrs. Key, insisted that the society had violated the alleged contract for the exclusive rights to make and sell the pins and permitted a firm to advertise in its official publication that it had the exclusive rights to make and sell the pins.

Community Center  
Musicians Will Play

Students comprising the community instrumental classes of the music department of the community center department will give a demonstration recital at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the Central High School Auditorium, according to Dr. E. N. C. Barnes, director.

The program of the orchestral department will be in charge of Laura Fairchild Ward, supervisor, while that presented by the piano department will be directed by Edith B. Athey, supervisor. The classes are held weekly, after 3 o'clock, and on Saturday mornings, with 45-minute periods of instruction.

Flower Sale to Aid  
Russia Colony Fund

Funds to be used in the building up of a colony in Crimea, to be known as "New Washington," will be sought today by the local committee for the colonization of Russia, which will place flowers on sale throughout the city.

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2. "Bancho Paria."  
4. "Don Quixote."  
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March, "The Merry Widow."  
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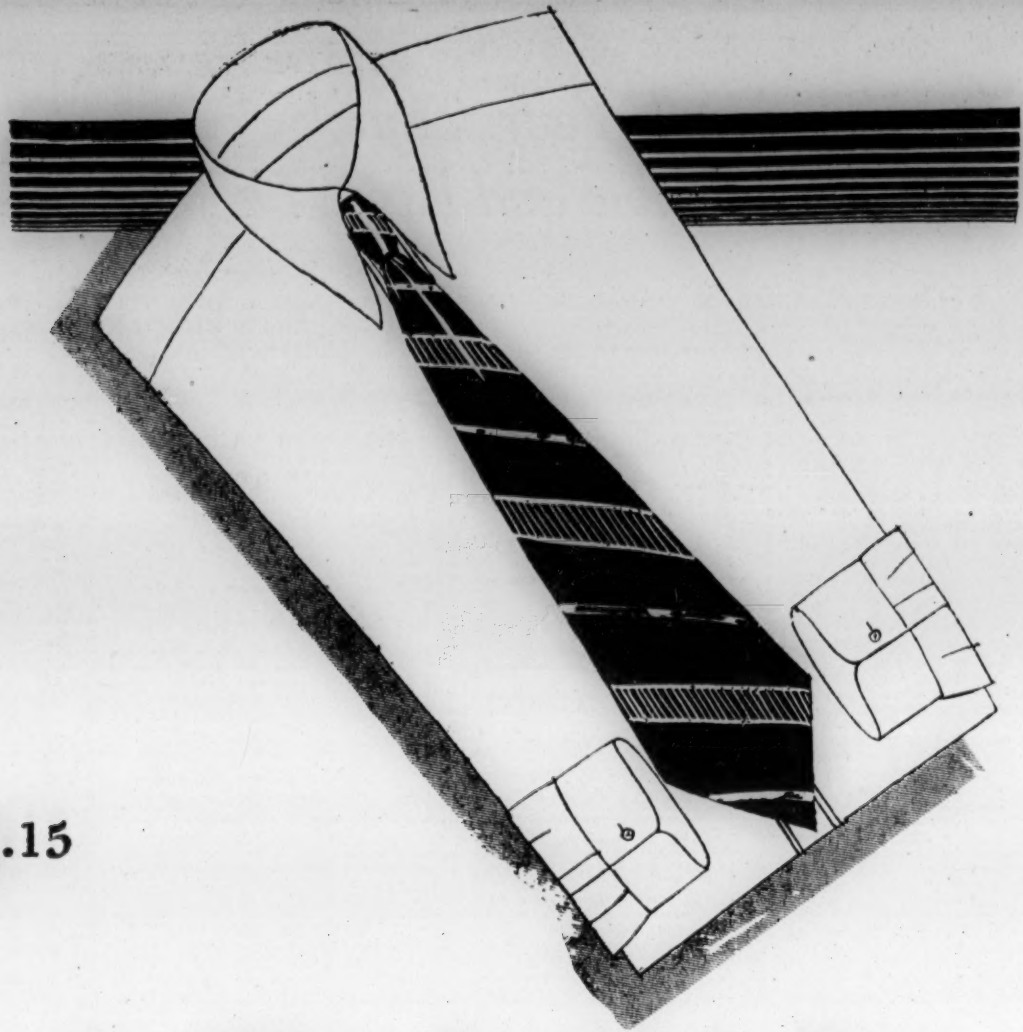
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## U. S. JUDGES ELECTED TO THE ARLINGTON COUNTY BOARD GROUP

Officers Named and Committee Appointed at Meeting in Clarendon.

## SUIT FOR CONDEMNATION OF OIL LAND DISMISSED

Vienna Citizens Favor Issue in Launching Campaign for Better Roads.

ARLINGTON COUNTY BUREAU OF THE POST.

Charles T. Jesse, former member of the general assembly of Virginia, was elected president of the Arlington County Board Association at a special meeting held in Clarendon yesterday. Other members elected were: Claude O. Thomas, treasurer, and W. Thomas French, secretary.

The following committee appointments were announced by the president: Grievance committee—Judge Harry E. Thomas, chairman; Smith Rucker, and H. W. Dudley; law and legislative committee—Walter O. Varney, chairman; State Senator Frank L. Ball, and Hugh Reid, Arlington County's representative in the house of delegates.

The executive committee will be composed of Charles T. Jesse, B. M. Hendrick, Amos C. Crounse, Claude O. Thomas, and W. Thomas French.

The association voted to hold a luncheon meeting the first Monday of each month.

The board of supervisors, at its meeting yesterday at the courthouse, upon the recommendations of Commonwealth's Attorney, William C. Crounse, ordered the condemnation proceedings dismissed which some months ago were instituted against the Republic Oil Co., located at Rosslyn.

The suit was to acquire land to widen the highway at the curve in Rosslyn, but inasmuch as the oil company has made such extensive improvements to their plant at that point, the proceedings are not now necessary.

The ordinance which the board of supervisors passed at a recent meeting regarding the parking of automobiles within eight feet of any fire hydrant, has been approved by the court. It is now a law. Special parking signs will be erected where fire hydrants are located and the parking ordinance will be enforced.

The board received the report of the county engineer, L. C. Kinner, on the valuation of the Clarendon Sewerage Corporation, which he gave at \$5,021.29, and the Aurora Heights Sanitary Corporation at \$5,622.49. Noted that each corporation shall at the next meeting of the board give a list of all claims against them.

Both corporations have asked the board of supervisors to take over the sewer lines as a county project, it is expected at the next meeting of the board such action will be taken.

The election of Charles E. Gage, councilman for the Third Ward at a meeting of the council of the town of Falls Church last night was settled by lot ending the contest that has continued for many months.

As this election meets with the approval of the Great Falls Street Civic Association, the council was assured that legal action, which the association has authorized Townsend Marr to take against the town election officials and the town council will be abandoned.

Vienna citizens met in the town hall Tuesday night for the purpose of discussing ways and means for launching a campaign for better roads, voted to favor a road bond issue.

A committee, to consist of L. V. Freeman, Joseph Berry, James M. Willey, M. Willey, M. O. Bradford, Alton Money, William West and Ray D. Brown, was appointed to study the road bond issue and to report to the town council.

The committee will meet with the town council Monday night, when the plans will be outlined.

Services at the Chrysalis Methodist Church tomorrow will be conducted by the pastor, the Rev. Fred G. Holloway. At the morning service his text will be "Vacations." In the evening service he will preach on "Great Men of the Bible."

## Officers Elected By Canadian Club

D. J. Gibson was elected president of the Canadian Club of Washington at the annual meeting held last night in the Stonelake Courthouse. He succeeded Dr. E. N. C. Barnes.

Other officers elected were: J. P. Farquhar, first vice president; Colin Simpson, second vice president; Colin H. Livingston, third vice president; Dr. A. E. Landry, fourth vice president; and Edward Albion, fifth vice president.

The business meeting of the club was held at 8 o'clock, and the members danced and had refreshments.

## Tanaka's Resignation Is Demanded in Tokyo

Tokyo, May 26 (A.P.)—Demands for the resignation of Premier Tanaka were voiced today by many peers and members of the diet as a result of the imbroglio over the resignation of Renzo Mizumoto as minister of education.

The resignation of Mizumoto was the result of the premier's taking offense because Mizumoto let it be known that the emperor had asked him to remain in the cabinet.

Critics of Tanaka say the premier has entangled the emperor in the maze of party politics, and that the only form of apology which can be tendered to the throne is Tanaka's own resignation.

Kazuo Shoda, who was minister of finance 1916-1918, has been appointed minister of education in Mizumoto's place.

## SENATE ELIMINATES INCOME PUBLICITY

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1926 permitting publication of amounts of income tax payments. Senator Smoot (Republican), Utah, in charge of the bill, replied that under the Norris amendment, by which all income tax returns would be open to inspection under the same rules and regulations governing government documents, newspapers could not only print the amounts of income tax payments, but details concerning the individual taxpayer's income revealed in the returns.

Vote on Publicity Clause.

The roll call on the publicity amendment follows: Against: Republicans—Bingham, Cull, Dale, Dennen, Edgar, Fessenden, Greene, Hale, Keyes, McLean, Metcalf, Moses, Oddie, Phillips, Reed, Pennington, Robinson (Indiana), Sackett, Schall, Shortridge, Smoot, Edw. Vandenberg, Warren, Waterman and Watson, Total, 27.

For: Democrats—Blaine, Borah, Brookhart, Capper, Couzens, Cutting, Howell, Johnson, Rollette, McMaster and Norris, Total, 11.

Democrats—Black, Brundage, Dill, Harlan, Heflin, King, Neely, Sheppard, Thomas, Walsh (Montana) and Wheeler, Total, 11.

Republicans—Shipstead, Total, 1. Total for, 23.

## ALEXANDRIA GARDEN CLUB OFFERS MORE PRIZES FOR BOOMS

Silver Basket Donated by Organization President Is on Exhibition.

THE WASHINGTON POST BUREAU.

124 N. Patrick St., Alexandria, Va. The Alexandria Garden Club has announced several additional prizes donated for the annual boom show which will be held in the armory Tuesday.

Among the donors are the Wayside Garden Co., Mentor, Ohio, bulbs and ferns; R. C. Smith, of the City of Alexandria, evergreens; Robert Forman, of Ballston, oriental arbutus, and Mr. Anderson, of Garden Supply company, bulbs.

Mr. Overton Price will have charge of the display. The prizes include a silver basket donated by the president of the Garden Club, is now on display at Snyder, Kane & Booth's, 124 N. Patrick street.

In the sweepstakes each blue ribbon won will count 5 points; red, 3 points; yellow, 2 points. The prizes will be awarded to the exhibitor making the largest number of points.

Much interest in the flower show is being shown by distant garden clubs, several clubs in northern Virginia having announced their intention of exhibiting.

The Garden Club has announced that all flowers should be cut the day before the show. Gathered flowers should be kept in a cool place and placed in water immediately after cutting, care being taken to see that water does not come in contact with the stems.

The club has also announced that it will not be responsible for vases or containers owned by exhibitors.

The drive for funds for the purchase and restoration of the George Washington Post of the American Legion as a war memorial and a post home, will be continued over the next several days.

Robert S. Jones, chairman of the drive, owing to the fact that only a comparatively small number of contributions have been received, has requested that the receipts be reported so far amount to \$7,267.00, although it is understood several hundred dollars have been collected, but not yet reported. Chairman Jones has requested that the receipts be reported no later than this evening.

The amount sought is \$30,000. The citizens committee, which has charge of the drive, plans to completely restore these historic buildings to the condition in which they were when George Washington had his headquarters in the city.

Many interesting exhibits are planned in the way of museums of each war period, and the central feature will be a shrine in memory of those who lost their lives in the World War.

Effective June 1, each member of the police force and the paid firemen will receive a salary of \$1,000 a month, as provided for in the budget. The privates in the department are now receiving \$125 a month, in addition to their uniforms, while the salaries of officers, sergeants, lieutenants and captains are considerably in excess of this amount.

The local volunteer fire companies have received \$175 as the share of the receipts of the carnival which recently exhibited here under their auspices. This money will go to help defray the expenses of the department.

The local department will make an effort to have a horse show at Fort Hunt, which will be held at 1:30 o'clock. The show will be open to both men and women riders and will compete with the show given by the Washington National Guard, as well as Army and Navy officers, are expected to attend.

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie T. Chalk, sister of Mrs. Thomas J. Fannon, will be held Wednesday, May 27, at 10 o'clock, in St. Mary's Catholic Church, conducted by the Rev. M. J. Cannon, assistant pastor. The body was placed in the Fannon mausoleum in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Funeral services for Frank Cannon, Chesapeake, Md., will be held at 10 o'clock, in St. Mary's Catholic Church, conducted by the Rev. M. J. Cannon, assistant pastor. The body was placed in the Fannon mausoleum in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Shahan Medal Won By J. M. Barker

The Bishop Thomas J. Shahan medal for oratory was won last night by Joseph M. Barker, competing against a field of five contestants in the public speaking contest held at St. Columba's church.

Barker's subject was "The Death of Roger B. Tanaka." In the jury department Bernard T. McElroy, speaking on "Call to the Gladiators," won the P. T. Moran medal for elocution. The Rev. Joseph M. Nelligan, the Rev. Brother Gregory and Albert D. Esler served as judges.

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The student body and faculty of the Marjorie Webster School will occupy a reserved section in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church at the service tomorrow evening when the Rev. Dr. S. Jones, the pastor, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon to the class graduating class.

The theme of the sermon will be "Elements of True Greatness." At the morning service, Dr. S. Jones will also occupy the pulpit and will have as his sermon topic, "The Vision of Burden."

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## Christ Church to Observe Its 134th Year of Service

Special Services to Be Led by the Rev. H. C. Goodman, Rector—Bishop Freeman to Preach at Bethlehem Chapel—Two Baccalaureate Sermons.

The 134th anniversary of the founding of Christ Episcopal Church, 620 G street southeast, will be commemorated at the services tomorrow. The services will open with a communion celebration at 7:30 o'clock, and at 11 o'clock the Rev. H. C. Goodman, the rector, will preach on "The New Testament."

The rector will also officiate at the evening service. The Rev. Dr. S. Jones, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Brighton, England, will fill the pulpit at the morning and evening service of the Epiphany church at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church. His morning sermon topic will be "The Vision of Burden." His evening sermon topic will be "The Vision of Burden."

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## You Need Your Church Today, Tomorrow and Every Day

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CHURCH OF GOD. CHURCH OF GOD. 1100 14th St. N.W. Sunday Services, 7 and 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Daily at 10 A. M. and 8 P. M. Evensong and Intercessions, Friday, 8 P. M.

St. John's Church. Lafayette Square. SERVICES: 8 A. M.—Holy Communion. 11 A. M.—Morning Prayer and Sermon. DR. JOHNSTON will preach.

ST. MARGARET'S. CONN. AVE. AT BANCROFT PLACE. HERBERT SCOTT SMITH, D. D., Rector. 7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion. 11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer with Sermon. 4:30 P. M.—Sunday School Commencement and Service.

Washington Cathedral. The Bethlehem Chapel. Wisconsin Ave. near Woodley Rd. Holy Communion, 7:30 A. M. Morning Prayer and Litany, 11 A. M. People's Open Air Service and Sermon, Preacher, Rev. Z. B. Phillips, D. D., 8:00 P. M. In the event of rain this service will be held in the Bethlehem Chapel. Take Wisconsin Avenue Cars or Woodley Road Bus Line.

First Universalist Church. Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, D. D., Pastor. Services at the AMBASSADOR THEATRE. 18th St. and Columbia Rd. N.W. (Pending the Building of a New Church Edifice) May 27, at 11 A. M. Sermon by Rev. John van Schaick, D. D., of the University of Chicago, of this church.

UNITARIAN. A cordial welcome to all. BRING YOUR FRIENDS. 11 A. M. Morning Worship. "The Ministry of Memory." 7:30 P. M. Motion Picture "POTEMKIN."

ALL SOULS' CHURCH. Sixteenth and Harvard Streets. Minister. ULYSSES G. B. PIERCE, D. D. 9:45 A. M. All Souls' Church School. 11 A. M. Morning Worship. "The Ministry of Memory." 7:30 P. M. Motion Picture "POTEMKIN."

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St. Mary's Church. 5TH ST. N.W. BET. G & H STS. Sunday Masses. Low Masses, 7:15 and 8:15. High Mass, 9:15. Last Low Mass, 11:30.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH. 10th St. bet. F and G Sts. N.W. Sunday Masses, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12. Evening Service, 7:45 (except May 27). May 28, 12:30 P. M. Confirmation of Children, 3 P. M. Confirmation of Converts, 8 P. M.

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## WIVES OF TOMORROW

By FRANCES McDONALD

DEAR MISS McDONALD: Your column today contained the wish that a "regular man" write you their opinion of the modern girl who thinks.

The substance of the column had a particular interest for me, since I happen to be one of the few serious-minded young men of these modern days. Another reason for my particular interest is the fact that I spent three consecutive years in a search for modern girls who think. How many such girls do you suppose I found? Just two, in spite of the intellectual environment of the little city in which I lived. Lots of good girls, understand, but they could not think. Understand, I do not mean that only two decent girls lived in the city. On the contrary, girls lived in the standards of morals set by the colleges and churches and best society was so high as to be startling to a Chicagoan or Washingtonian. Even innocent "petting" was frowned upon. The single standard of purity in man as well as in woman was the ideal. The name of that little city of ideals is Macon, Ga.

Although strict about virtue, however, the young people of Macon have been in being just as frivolous as other youths anywhere—frivolous to an extreme.

I decided that if being sociable meant being frivolous then I did not care to be sociable.

I held that the proper purpose of conversation was for edifying. Meaningless chatter is an indulgence fit only for monkeys.

Modern girls who are capable of thinking are rarer than diamonds and therefore invaluable. Girls who live by impulse, seeking only their pleasures, are chasing a will-o-the-wisp that can only lead them to a cave of utter darkness. Too many of our young people have joined in the frantic chase for thrills, for things which appeal to the senses, but not to the sense (mentality); neglecting the only worth while and permanent pleasures, which are of the mind and the soul.

There is a fatal exaggeration of sex in the air.

Material thrills are, after all, very empty. It is companionship of mind and spirit which really counts. We make our brothers and sisters realize this truth, or must they find it out for themselves?

## Conduct and Common Sense

By ANNE SINGLETON

## CHILDREN AS ATTENDANTS.

NOT long ago a correspondent wanted six little, y users and a number of little girl bridesmaids. Now, here is one who wishes a flower girl, a train bearer and a ring bearer. She would like to know how to place the children at the altar and wonders whether the ring bearer should be a boy or a girl.

The reason I think children out of place in most wedding processions is that they are often either too shy or too self-confident. In the first case they may spoil the procession. I have known the whole ceremony delayed for a quarter of an hour while a little boy's nervous burst of tears was being soothed into quiet. In the second, the procession may stop them. They become vain and conceited and are unpleasant as they mince or strut up the aisle. If the children belong in the

family and you can be pretty sure that they will be a charming addition to the bride's group, well and good. If they have to be borrowed from friends or neighbors because you think they would make a smart appearance, I think it an experiment you'd better not make.

The idea of pages and flower girls is pretty enough, and if the children are really well dressed and well behaved, it may turn out charmingly. Two little boys in black velvet for winter, and in white pongee for summer, might carry the bride's train and stand on either side of the group at the altar. Two little girls in simple frocks, something like the bridesmaids' in color, or perhaps lighter, might walk ahead of the bride, carrying baskets of flowers. These little girls would take their place with the bridesmaids. Ring bearers, torch bearers and young attendants of a like kind are quite unknown among people of good breeding.

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## BEAUTY AND YOU

By VIOLA PARIS

DEAR MISS PARIS—My daughter, just past 14, is troubled with pimples on her face. Sometimes they become quite large and sore. For nearly two years, I have tried to cure them, having used various salves and lotions without much result. Is there anything I can do to clear her skin? I do not want her to have a pimply complexion all her life.

## ANSWER.

It is a real gratification to receive a letter such as this. Here is a wise mother, anxious to help her daughter toward a fair, clear skin before it is too late.

Elements such as these often make their appearance during adolescence as an outward sign, probably, of physiological changes that are going on. They may disappear of their own accord when the period of change is past, but it does not pay to take this for granted. If not properly treated, the pimples may spread over a large area and become a permanent disfigurement. When a pimply condition has become firmly established, simple home treatments will not suffice and they become a case for a skin specialist. Taken in time, they give no lasting trouble.

The skin should be given a thorough cleansing every night, the cleansing to be followed by the application of a mild antiseptic. A soft face cloth may be wrung out of hot water and held against the skin. The cloth must not be hot enough to scald, but a good thick layer of tincture of green soap should be applied and should be left on for about five minutes before rinsing in clear warm water. The pimples may now be bathed with a hot solution of boric acid and whatever they contain gently pressed out. A fine needle, thoroughly sterilized, may be used to prick the pimples. Special care should be taken not to bruise the skin. If a black-head proves stubborn, let it remain until the next cleansing.

Complete the treatment by bathing the skin once more with a cool borax solution, dry thoroughly and gently apply an aloe lotion or cream. A soothing and healing ointment, applied at bedtime and left on over night, will be helpful. There are several ex-

## Mr. Work's Pointers Contract Bridge

YESTERDAY, in the discussion of "following" bids, it was pointed out that when an original No Trump bid has been made, the next player is apt to be the initial leader if his opponent has not bid. Consequently the following bid would not be apt to have any lead-directing value. With an initial Major bid, the probabilities once again are that if the side of the original bidder obtains the contract, it will be in the first named suit. But after an initial Minor bid the chances are that the Third Hand will change the declaration and Fourth Hand will be the original leader. Therefore when one of a Minor is bid initially, the following bid is likely to be of great value as a lead-director, and it also may be of enormous value by shutting out a No Trump bid by Third Hand.

Another important question to consider in Contract is whether to bid following an adverse suit-bid may be made by a call of one or whether it necessitates a call of two. It seems wise to adopt the convention that when bids following adverse suit bids are made with less strength than is required for an initial suit-bid, they should be limited to bids of one and over an initial Minor; and that all other following bids, including one Spade over one Heart and two Clubs over one Diamond, should announce the full strength required for an initial bid at Contract.

The following examples will make this clear:

♠ A-Q-X-X  
♥ X-X-X  
♦ X-X-X  
♣ X-X

♠ A-Q-X-X  
♥ X-X-X  
♦ X-X-X  
♣ X-X

In Contract with this holding by West, if South (Dealer) bid one Heart, a pass would be advisable; but if South (Dealer) bid one Diamond or one Club, one Spade should be bid for the reason explained above.

♠ A-Q-X-X  
♥ X-X-X  
♦ A-Q-X-X  
♣ X-X

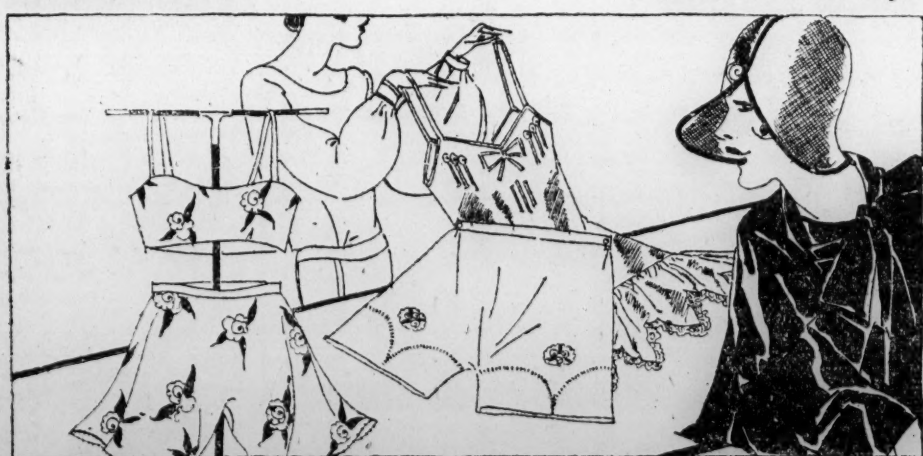
With the above hand held by West, a bid of one Diamond should be made if South (Dealer) starts by bidding one Club; but if South pass, bid one of a Minor, or one No Trump, this West hand should pass.

Contract Bridge will be continued next Friday.

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## Mitzi Can Always Find Something New

## MODISH MITZI



Mitzi doesn't intend to buy anything, but it's impossible to pass by without admiring these new underthings. That set of flowered silk print, for instance. The shorts are set on a narrow band and flare from the waist. The bandeau is carefully cut and shaped. The other shorts are equally tailored looking in their cut. They are made of pongee which, every one knows, is one of the most satisfactory summer fabrics. Not natural-colored pongee, though, but pongee of pale blue. The chemise that is held up for inspection is a step-in with a ruffle around the bottom. This is of pale green voile and is trimmed with hand hemstitching and Val lace edging.

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Organdie for underwear! Odd, but quite the thing for lingerie that is supposed to fit tightly and smoothly. The garment that is shaped like a girdle and brassiere combined is worn under a chemise that fits closely. Both are of printed organdie and make the lightest, coolest sort of summer underwear. Hanging just beside Mitzi's right eye is a new combination of glove silk—laced panties that are shirred and furnished with cuffs, very soft, made in pale peach with applique trimmings of blue. Mitzi needs all kinds of undergarments to go with all kinds of costumes, but she does think that if she buys these she'll have made a good beginning at the very least.

Next Week—Trousseau Clothes.

## Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Secretion from a sore  
4 Herring-like fish  
9 Bah!  
12 Venomous serpent  
13 Velvet-like cloth  
14 Extreme resentment  
15 Comprehend  
16 Carry  
17 Hidden  
18 Expression of sorrow  
21 Obscenity  
22 A raid  
23 The Lord's Day  
24 To state  
25 National hero of Spain  
31 Gave forth light  
32 Through  
33 The fourteenth letter  
34 Barely enough  
35 Greek god of war  
36 Breathe in and out  
38 Collide

**VERTICAL**

1 A lively dance  
2 Make a practice of  
3 Pierced with a long pointed instrument  
4 To cut open  
5 Word indicating an addition  
6 Floor covering  
7 To wit  
8 Part of a sewerer's equipment  
9 One of the vessels in Columbus' fleet  
10 Metal-bearing dock  
11 Belonging to a female  
12 Prohibitions  
20 Household god of the Romans  
21 Canonized person  
22 A stunning blow or check  
23 Sheep-like  
24 River in France  
25 Corners  
26 Irritating  
31 Device for cutting cloth or paper (usually in the plural)  
32 Invocations  
34 To engage in boxing  
35 Wing (Lat.)  
37 Ready  
38 Caste  
40 To be in the process of adjustment  
41 Foot-pest  
42 Small bird  
43 Insect's egg  
46 Kind of bean

**SOLUTION OF PRECEDING PUZZLE**

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**YOUR BOY AND YOUR GIRL**

By ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.  
The Parent Counselor.

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Writers' names are never printed. Only questions of general interest answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamped self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Address: Your Boy and Your Girl, c/o The Washington Post, Washington, D. C.

I see by the Papers That the school board, as it should be, was swift and sure.

Endurance tests are becoming the rage. Adults are seeing how many bananas, oranges, oysters or can be downed at one sitting; children are smashing long distance records in skipping, bouncing a ball and kite flying. One girl in St. Paul bounced a golf ball 2,710 times. How quickly the children imitate in their own stunts the leading descriptions of elders who circle the Arctic Ocean, jump from Ireland to Labrador, and attempt endurance tests of all kinds.

Helen Wells attends the Mickey Walker-Jack Willis prize fight, watches the play of muscles and the foot work, and decides that tennis is the only game, adding, "This fight was so nice and comfortable. I have yet to see a six-day bicycle race." If she saw Tunney box she might change her opinion never to see another fight. Not all fights are nice and comfortable, even for the fighter; to say nothing of the ladies present.

Bare-headed boys, according to the secretary of the Hatters' Labor Union, are hurting their business. He does not want them to catch cold. Won't they please buy hats. Yes, but think of the hair clippers Union. They will have hair to clip for the old gentlemen of tomorrow if hats of today are discarded and of the Hair Renovators Association which is losing patronage by a very sensible custom.

A cigar chain store has devised a machine which delivers a hearty "Thank you" as it tosses out a package of cigarettes. With the mechanical thank goes a "few well-chosen words" about the advantage of that particular cigarette. Is one to expect that soon advertisements will read, "Reach your child to be polite by having him patronize the cigarette automatic selling machine. Not a cuss word in a shipload."

**OUR CONVERSATION CORNER.**

Give Brother a Chance.

My brother of 23 supports my mother, a brother of 15, a sister of 11 and me (19). Now he wants to get married, but what would we do? I intended to start in college to take a five-year course and be a biologist. He is meanwhile keeping a sharp lookout in the direction of research work. Don't you think my brother should wait five years and give me a good example?

**AMBITIOUS SISTER.**

Answer—In these days of economic independence of women, it is fair to expect a brother to support his sister in college for five years? I suggest you get a job as soon as possible, contribute toward the support of the family, and save some money that you may return to college within a few years.

## HOW TO KEEP WELL

By DR. W. A. EVANS

To the limit of space, questions pertinent to hygiene and prevention of disease will be answered in this column. Personal replies will be made to inquiries, under proper limitations, when the stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual disease.

## GET OVER THE HABIT OF WORRYING.

B. S. WRITES me a long letter, asking me to read it all and answer it. Since she did not sign the letter and sent no address and no stamp, I can not write her. On account of the high price of paper and ink, I can not print it all. And yet I want to answer it. Here it is, in brief:

Sixteen years old, fatherless, mother overworked. At 14, the school doctor told her she had a heart murmur. For two years she has worried about that; had an growing fear of dropping dead, and lots of other fears. Won a prize of \$10. Spent the gold piece for a heart examination. Doctor told her to stop worrying, her heart was not endangering her life. That examination just cured all of her catalogue of diseases. She could not let well enough alone; went to a doctor again. Was told she had some anemia, and given a prescription for a simple tonic. I find the prescription calls for a little iron—almost a placebo. This diagnosis threw her into another fit. She began to worry; had assorted aches, began to fear insanity. Then there follow two pages on the horror of insanity.

REPLY TO B. S.

First, a simple heart murmur in a young person who is free from all other symptoms is not a matter to worry about. Forty years ago I advised a young man to stop fox hunting because he had such a murmur. He had sense enough to disregard my advice. Today he is in good health, and divides his time between fox hunting and spoiling his grandchildren.

Second, a simple, mild, secondary anemia does not call for worry. It does not result from iron pills. A little more peace of mind, a little more sleep; the wearing of clothes that are a little looser; the eating of a little more juicy meat, liver, eggs, spinach and other greens, and salads—are all that it calls for.

Third, when a person is worried because he thinks he is becoming insane, "the just aid." There are signs by which insanity can be forecast, but fear of insanity is not one of them.

Fourth, the diagnosis in your case is "worried."

To start with, you are emotionally unstable. There is no reasonable basis

## \$65,908 CONTRIBUTED FOR SALVATION ARMY

Campaign to Raise \$350,000 Fund Will Be Continued to Monday.

The Salvation Army campaign for \$350,000, which was to have ended yesterday, will be continued to Monday, according to officials who announced \$65,908 had been contributed so far. Among contributors announced yesterday are: Joseph Himes, \$1,000; W. T. Galt, \$500; J. P. Peiser and Mr. and Mrs. Luke I. Wilson, \$500 each; Walter M. Ballard Co., \$300; John P. Dryden, Mrs. Frances P. Silvers and Frank R. Jelliff, \$250 each; Mrs. John Campbell White, \$200; John B. Lerner, \$150; a friend, Galt & Bros., W. W. Leisner & Son, Clark Griffith, Storm & Sherwood, E. W. Davis, William F. Gude, William H. Walker, Davies, Jones & Beebe, J. P. Dodge, A. S. Holt, Theodore Michael, L. H. Charles, additional subscription, \$100 each.

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## How Many Can You Answer?

- (Answers Will Be Found on the Last Page.)
1. What is a husky?
  2. Who wrote the Aeneid?
  3. What is the floral emblem of Scotland?
  4. What is the boiling point of water on the Fahrenheit thermometer?
  5. Of whom were these lines written: "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen?"
  6. What is the name of the prison in Paris, the anniversary of the storming of which by the revolutionists is celebrated on July 14?
  7. Where is Oberammergau and for what is it famous?
  8. Who is Oberon, in medieval mythology?
  9. What American revolutionary general was known as "Lighthorse Harry"?
  10. For what physical characteristics was Little John, one of Robin Hood's followers, noted?

## JUST FOLKS

By EDGAR A. GUEST

A BOMBING SQUAD FILES OVER. Overhead the airplane fly. Fifteen birds in echelon. Fifteen monarchs of the sky And a boy in every one.

Overhead the motors roar. From their nooks the pigeons fly. Reflected on race before. These invaders of the sky.

Startled pigeons, well I know Why you wildly dart and wheel. Here's a strange and ugly foe Come your lovely sky to steal.

Now they're swooping down again. Fifteen boys in perfect line. Watching through my window pane. Terror, such as yours is mine.

I am fearful of this thing Rushing, roaring through the sky. Fifteen young hearts, wing to wing! Of an older age am I.

Youth may laugh and mock at me. But my old heart beats with fear. This is danger that I see. Danger very real and near.

More Limerick Poetry.

Paris, May 25 (A.P.).—Inspired to poetry by the anniversary of Lindbergh's flight, M. Pierre La Rochelle described the lone eagle as "the young mechanic, who, with oil-smeared hands, seized hold of the world—and turning it in his hands said what a fine wheel this is for traveling through the air."

Do write to me soon. Love, EVE.

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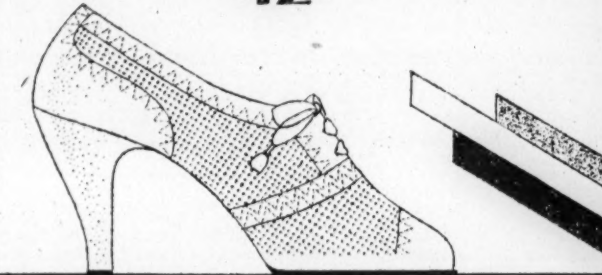
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## Uncle Ray's Corner

## A Little Saturday Talk

I HAVE often said that I wish I could visit every "Corner home" in the land, because I should like to know personally the people who read the stories. From the letters I receive, I know that the readers are fine, friendly persons.

Who else would like a leaflet on "How to Make a Corner Scrapbook?" If you wish one, please write me and include a stamped envelope addressed to yourself. Address your letter to Uncle Ray, in care of this newspaper.

**Uncle Ray**  
Monday—Butterflies.  
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## Garden Club Opens Flower Show Today

The annual flower show of the Georgetown Garden Club will open this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Montrose Park. The opening was scheduled yesterday, but was postponed until today because of rain.

Awards will be made for the winners in each of the flower classes, including among which are the roses, the peonies, roses, perennials, shrubs and flower arrangements. Mrs. John Linder is general chairman of the show and will be assisted by Mrs. Herman Hollerith, Miss Emily Matthews, Mrs. Frank Page and Mrs. Alvin Dodd. Miss Margaret Lancaster and Roy C. Pierce will act as judges of the exhibit.

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## RADIO MOVES UP BRISKLY

Special to The Washington Post.

New York, May 25.—Although the buying movement continued strong at the outset of today's stock market, the selling and profit taking served to check enthusiasm to a great extent and the end gains on the day outnumbered losses by only a small margin.

Many of the recent leaders merely marked time as the more rampant speculators gave their attention to a few selected stocks, such as Radio, which was bought in advance of the 10-point International Nickel.

Studebaker, Ford, Buick, Chrysler, Oldsmobile, Packard, and American Smelting and Refining, Commercial Solvents and Burns Bros. C.

Fracturing of the coppers, the merchandising stocks and several of the oil stocks made good headway on the up side. A good sprinkling of stocks that were boosted for substantial net gains in the early trading finished in the minus line.

Strength at the opening was credited to the decrease of approximately \$45,000,000 in brokerage loans during the week ending May 25. The market was a little stronger in position in the reserve ratios of both the local and foreign, and the system as a whole, this reduction stimulated demand for representative stocks. Thirty-three issues reached new highs for the year or more before heavy selling began to make itself felt.

Radio staged a characteristic up rush in face of action by the Federal Trade Commission against the corporation's policy of requiring initial installation of tubes of its manufacture in sets manufactured by other companies. In connection with the strength in the stock reports were current that John J. Raskob, chairman of the General Motors finance committee, would be elected to the corporation's directorate.

Crisis Electric also scored sensationally into new high territory, at 209 1/2, and closed at 207, a net gain of 14 points. The steel and rails were quiet and steady.

Call funds were in none too ample supply at the stock opening, and the 6 per cent, and the time loan rate, which was at 3 1/2-4 per cent yesterday, was firm at 3 1/2-4 per cent. Under these conditions, bank loans very much as the market would have the interesting experience of seeing the call rate above 6 per cent when the month-end demands begin to grow heavy.

In spite of 4 1/2 per cent discount rate, member banks apparently are finding the temptation to call money too much for them. Discounts for the reserve system increased substantially last week. Member banks thus falling to act as they were counted on to act in response to the higher discount rates. The Federal Reserve has stuck to its guns and sold more Government securities. But the net result of the week's credit operations has been a decrease of \$40,000,000 in total bills and securities.

The important item, indicating the amount of Federal Reserve credit in use. The reserve banks have not yet got back their own credit, in spite of their evident desire to do so. The total outstanding is \$40,000,000 above a year ago.

Stocks scoring new highs for the year more today included Ford, Studebaker, Auto Sales, Motor Fuel, Geo. Motors, First National Stores, C. P. &amp; P. Co., Parry, Tennessee, Geo. C. Copper, Manhattan Bank, Buick Copper and Zinc, and Remington Rand. Strength in the coppers was a direct reflection of the active price of a metal, which rose to 14 1/2 cents a pound, brought about by the larger foreign demand.

Sterling added a sixteenth in a rise to 4.88 1/2 for cables in fairly active foreign exchange dealings. Goldsmiths followed it with an advance of 1/16. German marks continued strong and made a new high record, at 24.90. Demand for the dollar was strong. Chinese exchanges reacted sharply.

## LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Chicago, May 25 (A.P.).—United States Department of Agriculture reports that the market closed fairly active today with some improvement in prices for choice 200-lb. weight, good carcasses at the close of business. Choice 200-lb. weight, good carcasses, 10.50-10.75; 160-200 pounds, 9.50-10.00; 120-160 pounds, 8.50-9.00; 100-120 pounds, 7.50-8.00; 80-100 pounds, 6.50-7.00; 60-80 pounds, 5.50-6.00; 40-60 pounds, 4.50-5.00; 20-40 pounds, 3.50-4.00; 10-20 pounds, 2.50-3.00; 5-10 pounds, 1.50-2.00; 1-5 pounds, .75-1.00; 1/2-1 pound, .40-.50; 1/4-1/2 pound, .20-.25; 1/8-1/4 pound, .10-.15; 1/16-1/8 pound, .05-.07; 1/32-1/16 pound, .02-.03; 1/64-1/32 pound, .01-.02; 1/128-1/64 pound, .005-.01; 1/256-1/128 pound, .002-.003; 1/512-1/256 pound, .001-.002; 1/1024-1/512 pound, .0005-.001; 1/2048-1/1024 pound, .0002-.0005; 1/4096-1/2048 pound, .0001-.0002; 1/8192-1/4096 pound, .00005-.0001; 1/16384-1/8192 pound, .00002-.00005; 1/32768-1/16384 pound, .00001-.00002; 1/65536-1/32768 pound, .000005-.00001; 1/131072-1/65536 pound, .000002-.000005; 1/262144-1/131072 pound, .000001-.000002; 1/524288-1/262144 pound, .0000005-.000001; 1/1048576-1/524288 pound, .0000002-.0000005; 1/2097152-1/1048576 pound, .0000001-.0000002; 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